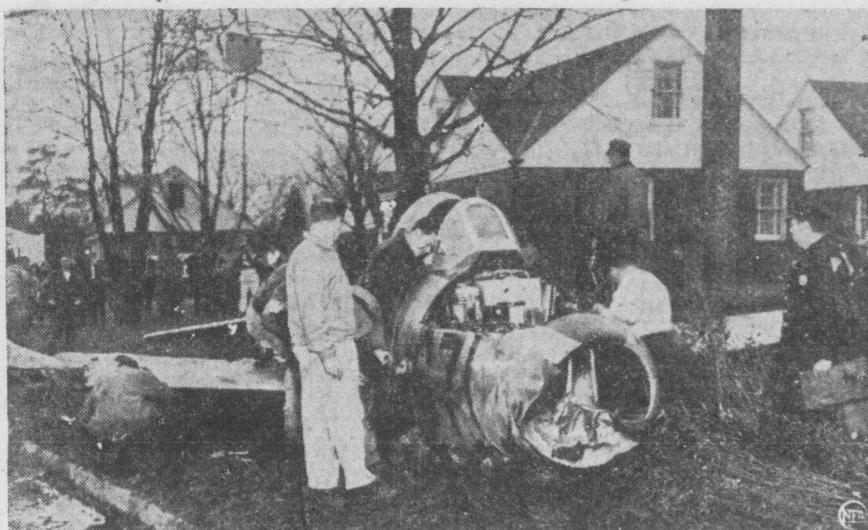


Pilot Safely Crash-Lands His U.S. Jet Fighter



U.S. Air Force officers examine F-84 jet fighter which crash-landed at Hempstead, N.Y., shortly after takeoff from nearby Mitchel Field. The pilot, Maj. Raymond F. Johnson, walked away from the plane uninjured. (NEA Telephoto)

Howe, Forrestal Plan Talks On Arms Supply

WASHINGTON (CP) — Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, Canadian trade minister, said today he will confer this week with James Forrestal, United States Defense Secretary, on "procurement of military supplies."

Howe arrived here today from Ottawa.

"Interdependency of the military supplies of Canada and the United States makes an exchange of views useful at this time," the Canadian minister said in a statement.

TO EXPORT METALS

Mr. Howe did not elaborate on the nature of his proposed talks with Forrestal except to point out that Canada's munitions program is dependent on the United States for "a number of finished products" and that the United States depends on Canada for "supplies, including metals."

"Canada is particularly interested in obtaining a number of specific items of United States equipment," he said.

His statement was interpreted as partial confirmation of recent Ottawa reports that he would explore the possibilities of obtaining large scale United States orders for Canadian military equipment.

Howe, accompanied by M. W. Mackenzie, deputy trade minister, also will confer with Arthur Hill, chairman of the U.S. Natural Resources Board, and officials of the U.S. Munitions Board.

TO SIGN AGREEMENT

He said he will attend a ceremony Thursday afternoon as representative at the signing of

Toronto Minister Accepts Call To First United Here

Rev. Mohr A. J. Waters, B.A.B.D., will be the new minister of First United Church here, it was announced today.

From another source, it was learned that Canada is keenly interested in getting U.S. orders for production of aircraft parts. United States order for, say, airframes, would greatly increase production in Canadian aircraft plants. Such expansion would cut over-all costs and could lead to a boost in production of aircraft for the R.C.A.F.

Two B.C. Men Held On Narcotics Charge

TORONTO (CP) — Wilfrid Tutty and Elmer Severson, both 32, were arrested today on charges of illegal possession of narcotics.

Police said they suspected both men might have connections in a drug traffic from Vancouver to Toronto and that the pair would be questioned by the R.C.M.P. narcotic squad.

Tutty and Severson were arrested after a nine-hour police vigil over a drug cache at the rear of a Morse Street garage.

Highway Parley To Open Dec. 14

OTTAWA (CP) — The Dominion-Provincial conference on the trans-Canada highway will open here Dec. 14, resources Minister MacKinnon announced today.

60-Mile Gale Hits City Disrupts Power Service

Gales raging as high as 60 miles an hour lashed at Greater Victoria again overnight, bringing down power lines in areas throughout the entire district, and weather officials forecast continued gales for today.

B.C. Electric officials reported every man of the company's repair crews has been out since 2 this morning. The crews are expected to continue work all day and well into tonight repairing the breaks and damage to power lines.

Saanich was the hardest hit. A transformer blew out at the Wilkin Rd. sub-station at 2:45 this morning as the gale neared its peak velocity. Power went off in the whole of the Saanich and north of Garden City, on the East Road as far as Elk Lake and on the West Road as far as the St. Joseph's Hospital farm.

Many primary lines were down. Poles were toppled to the ground and trees were thrown across lines in many districts.

B.C. Telephone officials reported they had been lucky and that their lines had escaped with very little damage.

Local coastal craft were in little danger as most were still in shelter sought during the Sunday gale, and continuing storms in the gulf Monday. Both coastal passenger lines, and the C.P.R.'s B.C. Coast Service and the Black Ball Line, continued operating their vessels on routes

Alberni Road Open Friday Morning

B.C. district engineer's office reported today that Alberni Road will be open Friday morning. The familiar landmark of Angel Rock on the Port Alberni-Nanaimo Highway was destroyed in gales on Sunday, leaving a huge mass of rock across the road and cutting Port Alberni off from all highway arteries. Hundreds of tons of rock came down on the highway in the landslide.

New Lumber Deal

VANCOUVER (CP) — A Vancouver lumber shipper said today Britain has entered into a new contract to purchase British Columbia timber, but expects that United Kingdom buying will be in small quantities.

On construction jobs anything that wasn't nailed into position was blown down. At the Wilkins, where work is in progress taking down existing buildings, the wind gave considerable aid to the demolition work.

Weather officials at the Gonzales Meteorological Observatory reported that from midnight to this morning, the wind averaged 40, from 1 to 2, it was at 44 miles an hour, increasing until it had reached its peak of 60 miles an hour from the southeast from 4 to 5 this morning. From then it began to fall until it was blowing 34 miles an hour between 6 and 7. Now the officials predict southwest gales of 40 miles an hour through today decreasing tonight.

HAIFA, Israel (AP) — Nine thousand Jewish children and mothers and 1,000 Arab war refugees in Jewish Jerusalem will get their first United Nations' International Children's Emergency Fund shipment today. It will consist of whole milk, dry skimmed milk, rice and cod liver oil.

The Manchester report said Ross had inherited the money from his uncle. Ross' counsel claimed the money was concealed from Ross by "a wicked uncle" for 50 years. For 40 years Ross "walked the length and breadth of Canada as a laborer," his representative said.

Mrs. Traverse provided the sole clue to the character of the retired man.

"Mr. Ross won't talk to anybody," she said. "He's cranky. When he heard reporters were calling he got mad as the deuce."

"He knew about eight months ago he was going to get the money. Some men from the United States came to see him and all I know is that he has been getting some money ever since."

She said Ross was not married.

"With all that money I can go for him myself," she laughed.

According to police, Nairjan Singh was riding in a timber truck which went out of control on the Mount Tzouhalem Road. He jumped from the truck which rolled over on top of him.

Police said the truck was driven by Jaginda Singh, who stayed in the vehicle and was uninjured.

U.S.-Russian Stand Kills U.N. Move For Berlin Peace

Chiang Leaders Say Big Victory On Suchow Front

NANKING (AP) — The Chinese government claimed a major victory on the Suchow front tonight to climax a confused day which still left the final outcome of the battle for the approaches to Nanking in doubt.

Pro-government new papers splashed their buildings with red posters and exploded firecrackers to call attention to placards announcing the Communists had been routed northeast of Suchow and were withdrawing northeastward.

REPORTS CONFLICT

That news, circulated by the defence ministry's official military news agency, was in direct contrast to the generally accepted reports from other sources that the government control of the whole Suchow area was tottering.

The United States Embassy warned of some 7,000 Americans to get out of China now or risk "hazardous conditions."

Government spokesman Hollington Tong denied reports Suchow had fallen or even was threatened with Red capture. He told the Associated Press:

"The city is firmly in our hands and the Reds are withdrawing to the northeast."

DOUBTS EXPRESSED

Neutral observers, however, continued to eye the reports with considerable reserve.

More than 100 British and other foreigners are expected to join Americans this weekend when a second evacuation ship leaves Nanking.

Schools To Close Friday In Honor Of Royal Birth

British Columbia public school students will get a full-day holiday Friday of this week to mark the birth of the heir to the British throne.

This was decided today at a meeting of the provincial cabinet and announced by Education Minister W. T. Strath.

Mr. Strath said that the schools would be asked to arrange patriotic demonstrations on Thursday before students are released for the long weekend.

Mr. Strath issued this statement:

"The birth of a royal prince, who will one day become King of Canada, is an event which occurs only once in many years, and the government feels that the schools should suitably celebrate the occasion. A holiday is being declared for the public schools of the province for Friday, Nov. 19; and all principals and teachers are being asked to arrange for appropriate exercises on Thursday afternoon, stressing the significance of this event and giving prominence to the flag and the British tradition; the crown being the one the which remains in uniting all members of our commonwealth."

A shipment of oranges and lemons from Australia will arrive here tomorrow. These will be the first from there for many years.

Retired Laborer Not Talking To Reporters About Inheritance

VANCOUVER (CP) — A retired laborer today remained hidden behind locked doors while Vancouver newspapermen futilely tried to ferret out his reaction to a \$64,000 inheritance.

Hubert Alexander Ross buried himself in his room Monday night when the news of his good fortune reached the newspapers in a Canadian Press report from Manchester, Eng.

"He won't talk to anybody," his landlady, Mrs. N. Traverse, yelled from atop a flight of stairs in the rooming house which he shares with 13 other pensioners.

The Manchester report said

Their Peace Move Doomed



U.N. Secretary-General Trygve Lie, right, and General Assembly President H. V. Evatt of Australia here discuss their appeal to the Big Four powers for top level talks on the Berlin crisis. Reported attitude of U.S. and Russia today appears to have doomed plan. (NEA Telephoto)

Tug Sinks Off Pt. Townsend; Two Deaths; Barge Floats

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash. (AP) — A drifting barge was sighted off Point Wilson early today and the U.S. Coast Guard, on reaching the scene, found the tug which had been towing it had sunk and the line was still attached to the barge.

The Master, Ed. Gunderson, veteran Puget Sound skipper, and Leland Fox, crew member, both of Seattle, were missing.

Two men are missing. The tug, lying in 84 feet of

Big Boom For Halifax Stopped By Stevedores

HALIFAX (CP) — The United States port strike at first was a premature Christmas present for the port of Halifax, but today the Scrooge of labor trouble had crossed the border and slowed down activity here.

A spokesman for 2,000 Halifax stevedores said Monday they would not work ships diverted here from strike-bound American ports, although they will help to prepare for sailing four big liners already in port.

The announcement gave a touch of irony to harbor boosters, in the midst of opening a "Port of Halifax Week," a promotional scheme to advertise and bring more business here.

J. J. Campbell, president of the

Halifax Longshoremen's Association (A.F.L.), who made the "no work" announcement, said the union would not "scab" on U.S. labor but would take care not to break the Canadian Federal Labor Code.

The legal status of the Halifax action appeared to be in some doubt and the Dominion Labor Department announced it was investigating the matter. Montreal longshoremen also said they would not handle diverted ships.

The Aquitania, expected to arrive late today with 1,800 passengers on her regular run to Halifax, will not be affected as the dockworkers' action applies to diverted vessels only.

J. J. Campbell, president of the

Vancouver Police Accused Of Theft

VANCOUVER (CP) — City police constables Fred Rhuman and W. G. Idler today were charged with theft of \$25 from Tong Gee, local Chinese. The men were automatically suspended by Chief Constable Walter Mulligan.

The Chinese charged the prowler officers plucked the money from his pockets, pushed him in the police car and drove through a lane behind the police station, where Tong jumped out.

He said he shouted to another Chinese that he had been robbed. The Chinese, who said the incident occurred Nov. 3, identified the two officers in a line-up.

Duncan Hindu Killed As Truck Overtakes

B.C. Police headquarters here today reported that an inquest would be held at 2 Wednesday afternoon, in Duncan, to inquire into the death of Nairjan Singh, about 55, employee of the Khalifa Timber Co., who was killed in a truck accident Monday afternoon.

According to police, Nairjan Singh was riding in a timber truck which went out of control on the Mount Tzouhalem Road. He jumped from the truck which rolled over on top of him.

Police said the truck was

driven by Jaginda Singh, who stayed in the vehicle and was uninjured.

Truman Repeats Reds Must Lift Blockade First

PARIS (AP) — The Lie-Evatt effort to launch new negotiations to settle the Berlin crisis wound up in a stalemate today, with the United States and Russia standing by their previous positions.

President Truman announced the United States will not resume four-power negotiations on Germany until Russia lifts her blockade of Berlin. That has been the American stand all along, and British and French representatives announced in Paris earlier today that their views are the same as those of the United States.

(At Key West, Fla., Mr. Truman told a press conference he would review the entire international situation with State Secretary Marshall at the White House Nov. 22.

(Truman made it clear that:

(1) He has no plans for a meeting with Stalin. He said he will not leave Washington for such a conference, but that his invitation to Stalin to visit Washington still stands.

(2) He has no plans to send an emissary to Moscow to talk with Stalin.

Russia in a reply to the Lie-Evatt appeal, stood by her insistence that the Council of Foreign Ministers take up the question of Berlin and Germany as a whole.

The two top officials of United Nations, Secretary-General Trygve Lie and Assembly President H. V. Evatt, had appealed to the four powers last week to negotiate.

LATEST

Steel Plant Closes

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — Quality Steels (Canada) Ltd. suspended manufacturing at the close of business Monday, and today it was stated a staff of 180 was thrown out of work.

Planes Turned Back

LONDON (AP) — Three west-bound American overseas Airline planes routed through Iceland turned back to the Shannon airport, Eire, today after a fire had closed Iceland's Keelavik airport.

Reports here said the planes soon would be reopened.

Wheat Harvest Up

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's 1948 wheat harvest was placed at 393,300,000 bushels this afternoon by the Bureau of Statistics in its third and final estimate of the size of this year's grain, forage and root crops. This compares with a harvest of 340,767,000 bushels in 1947 and 413,725,000 bushels in 1946.

In talks with members of parliament and others the delegation emphasized that restoration of responsible government would not mean that confederation plans would be automatically discarded.

If the Crown colony voted as it did in the referendum, there was the prospect that a pro-confederation government would be elected and there would be no delay in negotiations with Canada.

Fireman Injured

NANAIMO (CP) — Henry McCabe, railway fireman of the Comox Logging and Railway Co., resident of Ladysmith, is in the Nanaimo hospital with serious facial and arm injuries received today while readying a locomotive for the day's work.

He said he shouted to another Chinese that he had been robbed.

The Chinese, who said the incident occurred Nov. 3, identified the two officers in a line-up.

Brother Of Red Dean Dies In Montreal

MONTREAL (CP) — Stanley Johnson, brother of Very Rev. Hewlett Johnson, the "Red Dean" of Canterbury, died here Monday. He was vice-president of the Johnson Wire Works Ltd. Dean Johnson is engaged on speaking tour of Canada and the U.S.

Hopes For New Financial Agreement With Dominion

Hope for a new financial agreement next year with the Dominion government, was expressed by Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb at the annual meeting of the Saanich Progressive Conservative Association Monday.

The minister said the federal government had failed to live up to the agreement which was approved by the 1947 legislature.

"The agreement would have been satisfactory if the federal government had lived up to its contract," he said. "It did not do that."

The minister said it was too early yet to say if the provincial government would be able to draft a new agreement with the federal government. "I hope we can do so next year," he added. "We are against bureaucratic government."

Due to a large increase in population, the minister said British Columbians should expect increases in government costs.

POPULATION OF 260,000

"The population has increased by 260,000 during the last six years," he said. "The increase in population is spread over a wide area with the result that costs have gone up. We have had to build roads and schools and increase our administration staffs."

The three per cent sales tax was necessary if the province was to carry out its social security program.

Stating that elderly people were arriving in British Columbia "in droves," the minister said there were now approximately 26,000 people drawing old age pensions in the province.

"Willanyone stand up and ask me to abolish the three per cent tax and deprive these people of pensions," he said. "I tell you I wouldn't do it."

The minister said he was against the government interfering with business. "I can run my business much better than the government can," he said. "Business men have more experience."

COALITION

With regard to the Coalition government, Mr. Anscomb urged the electorate to support the government until there was no longer any danger of "democratic socialism" gaining power in British Columbia.

"I know there are many of us who don't like the coalition," he said, "but if the coalition is weak the socialist will take charge."

When the danger of socialism was gone, he said, the Conservatives could then break away

from the coalition if they were not happy about the union.

But the minister warned that unless the party was strong the Liberals would crush them aside. "If we are strong and they are weak, the Liberals would expect us to brush them aside," he said.

The meeting also heard Leon Ladner, Vancouver, former member of parliament, urge the federal government to immediately restore the supremacy of parliament.

Mr. Ladner said the present government was now ruling Canada by order-in-council, ministerial proclamation and departmental regulation.

"The Progressive Conservative party will restore the supremacy of parliament, if it wins the next election," he said. "We are against bureaucratic government."

Speaking on the subject of taxation, Mr. Ladner said there was no reason why the Canadian people should be taxed as they are now.

He said the Progressive Conservative party had pledged itself to relieve the burden of taxation by increasing the personal income exemption by at least \$2,500 for married persons and to at least \$1,250 for single persons.

He also said the party would increase the exemption for dependent children by \$200 per child. "I predict that the finance minister will do this when he presents his budget at the next session of the House of Commons," he said.

According to the speaker, the operation of the Foreign Exchange Control Board had caused the Canadian economy serious injury, particularly when it restored the Canadian dollar to a parity with the American dollar.

Major-General G. R. Pearkes, M.P. for Nanaimo, described the Progressive Conservative platform as the "best since confederation."

"But we have to let the people know what we intend to do if we are elected," he said. "We must let the people know what our aims and our objectives are."

The association elected Maurice Atkins as their new president; Hazel Woodward, vice-president; F. Butler, 2nd vice-president; C. U. Hayward, 3rd vice-president, and S. P. Tucker, secretary-treasurer.

Executive officers elected were B. Bath, A. Frayne, Mrs. F. Butler, K. K. Hemstreet, Capt. F. Riley and Major L. H. MacQueen, retiring president.

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All Well With Elizabeth And Son; Relatives Shown

LONDON (AP)—All was reported well today with Princess Elizabeth and her new son as relatives gathered to peek at the two-day-old prince who may be the Commonwealth's next king.

Buckingham Palace spread the good news in the third bulletin issued by the Royal physicians since the infant's birth Sunday night.

"Princess Elizabeth has had a good night and is making excellent progress," said the report. "The infant prince continues to do well."

The Princess was permitted to have her baby with her for a short while Monday.

SOON UP AND AROUND

There was no indication how soon she would be up. Elizabeth always has enjoyed exceptionally good health and some sources believe her stay in bed will not be prolonged.

As for the yet-unnamed baby, doctors' opinions were not needed to persuade those who saw him that he was a "model" prince.

The youngest caller at the palace Monday was six-year-old Prince William of Gloucester, who trooped in with his mother, the Duchess of Gloucester. He bore a gift of red roses and a letter he had written to his 22-year-old cousin, Elizabeth. William was a page at the Royal wedding last year.

At the other extreme was 81-year-old Queen Mother Mary, who spent two hours at the

Peace Talks In U.S. West Coast Strike On 76th Day

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Peace talks continued in the west coast shipping strike today as the tie-up entered its 76th day.

Waterfront employers and Harry Bridges' C.I.O. longshoremen scheduled another meeting after a "technical discussion" of the issues at their first night session Monday.

The unaffiliated marine firemen, another of the five unions involved, were to meet the shipowners today for further talks.

Also joining negotiations were the C.I.O. marine cooks and stewards. They asked improved wages and living conditions aboard ships and a 2½-year contract to end June 15, 1951.

In the longshore talks, negotiators Monday reported preliminary agreement on a nine-hour day, instead of a 10-hour longshoremen's day, and at least four hours' pay for any man reporting for work.

The union-controlled hiring hall, a primary issue in the strike, was under discussion Monday night. The longshoremen seek a 15 cent wage boost to \$1.82 an hour.

Some 28,000 longshoremen and seafaring men have been made idle by the strike which began Sept. 2. Long-stalled negotiations were resumed last week.

Camp Given Over To Airlift Men

FRANKFURT (AP)—U.S. soldiers entered the Zeilsheim displaced persons camp today with orders to evict all persons who had ignored a previous evacuation order. They found the last occupants had departed during the night. It was planned tentatively to use Zeilsheim to house dependents of airlift personnel.

Riots In Calcutta

CALCUTTA (Reuter)—Police patrolled Calcutta Monday night after week-end religious disturbances in which five persons were killed and 128 injured. Some 20 persons have been arrested. Titled "A Hope for the Newly-born," it reads:

"May destiny, allotting what befalls,
Grant to the newly-born this saving grace,
A guard more sure than ships and fortress-walls.
The loyal love and service of a race."

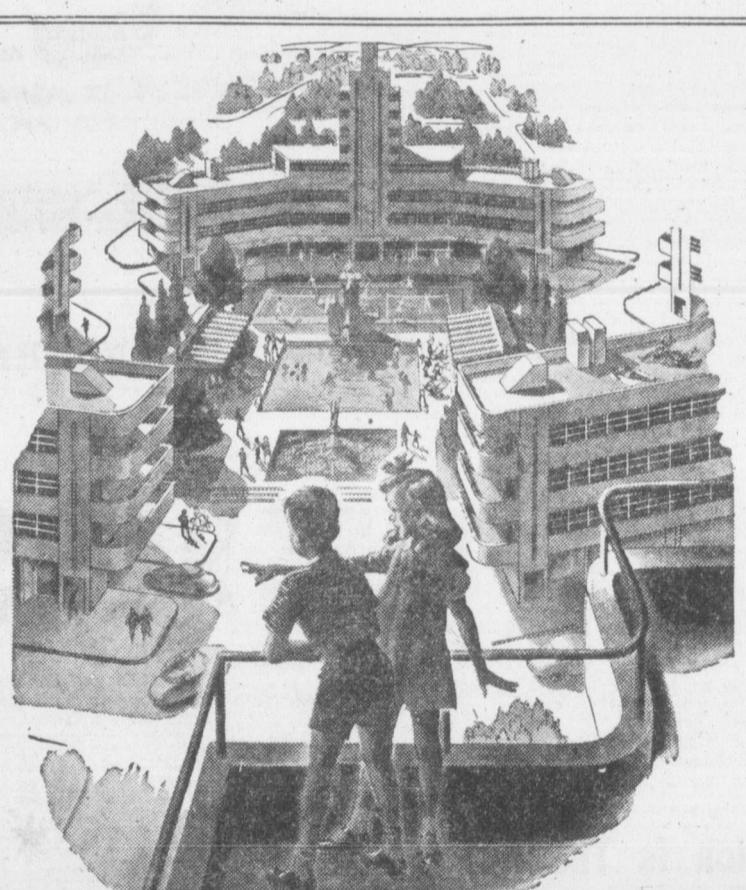
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Dock Strike Negotiations In San Francisco



Harry Bridges (left), head of the ILWU, scratches his nose reflectively as negotiations to end the United States west coast dock strike are resumed. At right is R. J. Thomas, C.I.O. assistant director, and in the centre is Allan Haywood, C.I.O. vice-president. (NEA Telephoto)

South Okanagan, Trail By-elections Campaigns Warm Up

TRAIL (CP)—The Nov. 29 election day still is about two weeks away, but already indications point to a knock-down, drag-out battle between rival factions for the provincial riding of Rossland-Trail.

The vacancy was caused by the death of Coalition member James L. Webster. Douglas Turnbull is the Coalition candidate and James Quinn is C.C.F. standard bearer.

Mrs. Nancy Hodges, Victoria Coalition member, already has launched a speaking tour in support of Mr. Turnbull and was joined Monday by Works Minister E. C. Carson.

PENSIONERS INCREASE

Mrs. Hodges said there would be 23,000 old age pensioners in B.C. at year's end. Cost of supporting the \$40 monthly old age pension would be \$5,000,000 for 1948-49—about double the cost of the last fiscal year.

She said the number of those receiving social aid in the province was growing. A year ago there were 10,300, and now 13,000 persons received social aid.

Mrs. Hodges said the mothers' allowance in B.C. had been raised twice within a little more than a year and now was the highest in Canada.

"You can't do these things with chicken feed. They've got to be paid for."

Referring to the Industrial Conciliation Act, she said only one strike had occurred in B.C. this year. More than 160 conciliation boards had been appointed.

H. W. Herridge, member of Parliament for Kootenay West, and Sam Guthrie, Cowichan-Newcastle M.L.A., are campaigning in support of Mr. Quinn.

Hon. C. M. Fines, Saskatchewan's provincial treasurer; Harold Winch, C.C.F. leader in B.C., and Herbert Gagrave, M.L.A. for Mackenzie, have addresses scheduled in support of their party's candidate.

Premier Byron Johnson, after a radio address from Vancouver Monday night, proceeded to the interior.

Conservative leader Herbert Anscomb will join him next week and they will speak together at public meetings in Rossland-Trail, and in South Okanagan, where there also is a by-election Nov. 29.

Vincent Massey One Of 2,200 Delayed

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng. (CP)—Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, former Canadian High Commissioner to the United Kingdom, was among 2,200 passengers whose departure aboard the liner Queen Elizabeth was delayed today by the longshoremen's strike in the United States.

The strike, which has tied up American east coast ports, has resulted in longshoremen at Halifax refusing to work ships which normally would dock in the strike area.

The Queen Elizabeth was to have sailed today for Halifax but officials of the Cunard White Star Line said the sailing had been postponed indefinitely.

There was no indication today of a break in the strike of 65,000 members of the International Longshoremen's Association (A.F.L.). The union is demanding an increase of 50 cents an hour and welfare benefits. The employers have agreed to 10 and 15-cent boosts, which would raise the day shift straight time pay from \$1.75 to \$1.85 an hour and the night and week-end overtime pay from \$2.62½ to \$2.77½.

Seized By Rebels

Ucluelet Votes For Beer By The Glass

Sale of beer by the glass has been endorsed by the electors of Ucluelet, the provincial secretary's department reported today.

In a plebiscite on Saturday electors voted 70 for and 50 against for sale of beer by the glass in a local option vote. Two ballots were rejected.

This means that the "yes" voter won a 57.3% per cent majority. A 55 per cent majority is necessary for the liquor control board to consider an application.

Soviet Troops Go Into Winter Quarters

BERLIN (AP)—United States intelligence sources said today they understood Soviet occupation troops were being moved into winter billets after completing fall manoeuvres. The informants said the move was routine. The anti-Communist Germans had claimed the Russians were increasing their occupation forces.

—Overcast with frequent showers and occasional half showers today and tonight; overcast Wednesday morning becoming cloudy by evening. Winds southwesterly 35 gusty, becoming northwesterly 20 by Wednesday morning. Little change in temperature. Low tonight and high Wednesday at Estevan Point 37.47.

Synopsis—Heavy rain and gale winds up to 60 miles per hour were associated with an intense storm centre which moved over Vancouver Island early this morning. Rain and snow are spreading inland ahead of the storm which is expected to move out of the province by this evening. Showery unsettled weather is expected over the province after the storm has passed. Along the coast the strong southwesterly winds will die down this evening. Clearing expected on Wednesday over the western regions.

Vancouver and vicinity, Lower Fraser Valley—Cloudy, frequently overcast with scattered showers today and tonight, clearing in the afternoon. Winds southwesterly 35 gusty, decreasing to 20 by this evening. Little change in temperature. Low tonight and high Wednesday at Abbotsford 37.47.

Victoria and vicinity—Cloudy, occasionally overcast with scattered showers today and tonight. Cloudy Wednesday morning, clearing during the afternoon. Winds southerly 40 gusty, decreasing to southwesterly 20 by this evening. Little change in temperature with low tonight and high Wednesday at Victoria 40.47.

Straits of Georgia—Cloudy, frequently overcast in showers today and tonight. Cloudy Wednesday morning, clearing during the afternoon. Winds southerly 40 gusty, decreasing to southwesterly 20 by this evening. Little change in temperature with low tonight and high Wednesday at Nanaimo 36.46.

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Witness At Murder Trial Testifies Woman Scream

Mrs. Mary Humble testifying at the trial of Jacob E. Wied, 38, charged with the murder of his wife, Evelyn, told an Assize Court jury today that she heard a woman's scream on the afternoon of July 17.

Mr. Wied drank about six or seven bottles of beer, he added, and before leaving had two double hot rums.

Among other witnesses heard were Neil Butler and Irving Strickland.

The case is continuing. Patrick J. Sinnott is counsel for the accused. The Crown is represented by W. H. M. Haldane and Lloyd McKenzie.

"Problems and Experiences in Municipal Engineering," including preliminary studies in the Gorge Canal project, will be the subject of an address by H. D. Dawson, Saanich municipal engineer at a meeting of the Victoria branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada at Prince Robert House Friday at 8.



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GOOD FAITH NEEDED, TOO

THE REQUEST OF TWO HIGH UNITED NATIONS officials, Secretary-General Trygve Lie and Herbert V. Evatt, president of the General Assembly, to the leaders of the four major powers to get together and solve the problems arising from the Berlin blockade, is one that intent will appeal to most of the common people of the world. No intelligent person wants war. Any hopeful move to settle international disagreement without resort to force will be welcomed by the "little man" of all countries. Yet there are one or two aspects of the present suggestion which indicate that this mode of procedure may not be the most likely to achieve success.

The Evatt-Lie proposal to Messrs. Truman, Attlee, Stalin and Churchill is viewed by the three western nations as running counter to their insistence that further talks shall not take place while the Berlin blockade is still imposed by Russia. To participate under such conditions, they hold, is to negotiate under duress—a circumstance to which free nations feel no need to submit. The ban on road and rail traffic across the section of Soviet occupation zone that lies between Berlin and the territory occupied by the western allies was arbitrarily imposed by Russia. While it exists it constitutes a menace to world peace. It could be easily lifted by the men of the Kremlin if their desire for peace were greater than their desire to secure political advantage by holding as hostage the lives of 2,500,000 Berliners.

A second consideration in this regard may be found in a review of previous four-power talks. Whether held in London, Moscow, Paris or elsewhere, they have not been productive of concrete results. When diplomats of the three leading western democracies left Moscow recently, for instance, they had every reason to believe that the Berlin problem had been solved. Prime Minister St. Laurent furnishes the example. Though the satisfactions that come to him in his new post may be finer, more gratifying to him than those he has known, he unquestionably could have surrounded himself with greater material comforts had he chosen to remain a private citizen.

T.B. SEALS

ONCE AGAIN THAT INVITATION TO generosity which typifies the spirit of Christmas has been issued by the Soroptimist Club of Greater Victoria with the distribution through the mails of Christmas Seals. These are going out, in series of 200, to 20,000 householders in this community. In return, the sponsors of the campaign are requesting remittances of two dollars from each recipient. Although they are not pressing in their requests, the officials in charge of the distribution hope that returns will be made early, before the annual festive season rush sets in and the message of the seals is temporarily forgotten. The committee further requests that payment be made by means of the addressed envelopes enclosed with each package of the decorative stickers to facilitate filing and indexing.

The purpose of the campaign, taken over in this district by the Victoria women's club, is well known. Funds raised by it help to fight the disease against which such gratifying progress has been made in recent years. The crusade is a costly one. Equipment, nursing service, health education, diagnosis, rehabilitation of former sufferers and the many details which go into its successful prosecution entail heavy expenditure. By each individual who buys the seals, assistance is given to a fine cause. The response should be immediate and open-handed.

NO BODY

IN S. J. PERELMAN'S NEW BOOK "Westward Ha!" caricaturist Hirschfeld has, among many intriguing drawings, presented two cartoons of "Hollywood Natives." One labelled "Female" is depicted by a frizzy hairdo, dark glasses, an Ascot muffler, a fuzzy fur jacket, huge bag, short slacks, and thick-soled sandals in which only the lacquered toenails suggest the feet. The "Male" is similarly portrayed: curly hair, dark glasses, foulard carelessly knotted above the neck of a striped sweater, a broad-lapelled, big-checked sports jacket, slacks and wedgey shoes. Neither figure has any torso, face, hands or feet—merely the satire is biting.

It is easy enough to ridicule Hollywood in this way, to make its people all show and no body, to indicate the artificiality of the society synonymous with the United States moving picture industry. And continuous propaganda supports the thesis that is presented. On the other hand, we are led to wonder whether or not Hirschfeld might not have given his figures more universal application. When we laugh at the false values of Hollywood, are we not laughing at ourselves? Or are we too self-righteous for that?

Those with generous hearts must have something to love. If they can't marry, they must adopt a pet or a neighborhood.

the time to make some provision at least for that reckoning while revenues are high? The day is past, it seems to us, when candidates may secure election by the expedient of promising to cut taxes—and taxes are in effect reduced when the rate does not go up while the purchasing value of the dollar declines. Our ratepayers are adult. They know they must pay for what they get. It thus behoves candidates to understand that point when they announce their platforms.

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

ALTHOUGH THE ACTUAL TRANSFER of authority by which Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent assumed the mantle of Prime Minister yesterday was effected without fanfare or pageantry, the significance of the change should bring to Canadians a clearer realization of the sense of obligation and responsibility with which men of his character enter office.

Seven years ago Mr. St. Laurent was a newcomer to the political field. He entered it at a time when his abilities in the legal realm were widely appreciated. As he assumed his new post he put greater distance between himself and that lucrative professional field which not infrequently rewards its outstanding practitioners with annual incomes reaching into six figures. In place of that financial return he will enjoy the relatively small emolument of the Prime Minister.

This, if it proves anything, should underscore the high sense of duty which has brought Mr. St. Laurent to his present position. And through it may be seen an object lesson for those narrow critics who are prone to suggest that men and women enter public life—municipal, provincial or Dominion—for what they can get out of it in the way of material possession. The new Prime Minister was virtually drafted into politics. He responded to the urgings of those who wished to see his talents applied to the broader field of national interest because he felt he will something to offer for the good of the people of Canada.

That is a point which is all too frequently ignored or forgotten by the majority of the public. It is this inclination to discount the good intent of honest men which gives to the word "politicians" an unpleasant stigma. The so-called critics fail to realize that the man or woman who enters public life does so with the knowledge that he or she will become the target of malicious attack, will be subject to demands often beyond the material rewards of his or her office, but, with relatively few exceptions, is nevertheless prompted to offer his or her services in conscientious belief in the ability to make some contribution to the welfare of society.

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Lesson For Fleets

By JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP
From Washington

ANOTHER Manhattan District is needed. That is the only possible conclusion from the shocking results of the United States Navy's recent Newfoundland war exercises. For those who missed the all too brief stories from the scene, the Newfoundland results may be summarized as follows:

The plan for the exercises was for a strong task force of 100 naval vessels to establish a bridgehead on the Newfoundland coast. The defensive role was assigned to eight Schnorkel-equipped submarines, modelled on the high-speed, long-range, radar-proof German Type 21. The eight defenders "sank" virtually the entire naval task force, and of course theoretically prevented the landing.

THE SIGNIFICANCE of these results lies in a single bleak and simple set of facts. The Soviet Navy is now primarily an undersea fleet. Under reparations the Soviets secured from Germany component parts, complete submarines and equipment for building the Type 21. According to the most sober official estimates, the Russians already have 100 of these craft in operation, as well as 100 short-range submarines for coastal defence, and 100 long-range submarines without Schnorkel or "breathing" equipment. Their program for building additional Type 21's is known to be important.

RUSSIAN NAVAL PLANNING is of course hampered by restriction to the Baltic, Black Sea, Arctic and Manchurian ports and Vladivostok. Even so, however, the Red Fleet is estimated to be capable of maintaining 35 Type 21's continuously at sea. But the Schnorkel-breathing device, radar-proofing, and great speed render these craft almost wholly immune to the old methods of anti-submarine warfare. Hence the fate of the Newfoundland task force. Hence, also, the conclusion that if war should come soon, 35 Type 21's would come perilously close to severing the vital sea supply lines across the Atlantic. Until this threat has been countered, all American strategic planning must be considered a mere gamble.

THE PICTURE is not all black, to be sure. A small number of vessels in the Newfoundland task force were especially equipped with new submarine detecting and destroying devices experimentally developed with the Type 21 in mind. While all but a small proportion of the total task force was "destroyed," all but about 15 per cent of the specially equipped vessels escaped the wolf pack's attacks. Thus there is already hope that the American Navy can regain the capability of defending itself and the sea supply lines that are its first responsibility.

On the other hand, a crucial question of investment priorities is obviously raised. The navy staff asserts that the capacities of the navy are being strained to the utmost, both to modernize the anti-submarine defences of the fleet at sea, and to improve the new anti-submarine methods.

BUT IN FACT modernization is not like mere installation of new Frigates in the fleet. Each vessel must be rebuilt at great cost, and since the new anti-submarine devices are still experimental, only a few vessels are being modernized. Furthermore, the authoritative Joint Research and Development Board by no means shares the navy staff view, that enough is being done about this most urgent of all American defense problems.

The funds being spent on anti-submarine research are invidiously compared with the funds allocated to certain other projects, such as the navy's giant carrier (which will be utterly useless, of course, unless it can be defended against anti-submarine attack).

But the real differences of viewpoint between navy and J.R.D.B. apparently lies in the phrase above, "the capacities of the navy." The navy is undoubtedly doing all that any service can to counter the danger undersea. Unfortunately, however, any purely naval effort of this sort must always suffer from the peculiarities of service budgeting, the rigidity of business done through channels, and similar limitations.

IT WAS PRECISELY to remove these handicaps that President Roosevelt established the Manhattan District. The Manhattan District was under the leadership of army and navy officers, to be sure. But it was functionally independent. Neither the slowness of channels, nor any from other bureaus, nor any of the other familiar phenomena of service administration, could diminish the scale of the Manhattan District's effort, or blunt the effect of its top priority. The argument for a similar project, and an effort on a similar scale, now seems to be unanswerable. American security demands no less.

Money can be no object, since the whole huge annual appropriation of the navy will have little value until this problem, submarine danger, has been removed. The job must be done at all costs and with all urgency.

MEANWHILE, only one stop-gap expedient is open. Immediate alliance with the Western European Union will permit immediate establishment of air and other bases overseas, and immediate stock-piling in Europe. In the present atmosphere, taking out this form of insurance is also urgent.

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Music binds folks together, and an anthem conveying respect and feeling for peace and rights of others would do lot more than a million articles, speeches, books or even another war.—Band leader Sammy Sisen, proposing an official anthem for the U.N.

'I'm Boss Here! You'll Enter When I Say So!'



As Our Readers See It

MEMORIAL AREA

So the City Council has reversed itself again. But this time, every member of that body is aroused to the seriousness of the mistaken policy which has been followed, to the extent that there must be no more blunders, but utmost unity and co-operation in the policy and plan to complete the arena. In such an atmosphere as this, it ought to be possible to consider another and perhaps entirely fresh policy to complete the work on the arena. For what it is worth, we offer it, in the hope that where others have succeeded, Victoria may also prevail.

During the past summer, we passed through a city named Klamath Falls, Oregon. One of the service clubs of that community had organized a campaign to provide \$350,000 for a Y.M.C.A., so much needed by that growing community. The business people of that small community had committed themselves to the payment of bonds for this worthy project. In addition, the boys and girls and young people, enthusiastic about the project, have subscribed to bonds of \$25 and \$50 each. These bonds are being paid in small weekly sums as low as 50 cents, through the banks. When these young people grow up to manhood and womanhood, they will be able to look back with pride, on a successful accomplishment—a monument in their city to which they have contributed.

The people of Greater Victoria, all of them, enjoy good sport, and sportsmanship. Therefore, let us to the task of providing the money which is needed to complete the work on the arena, out of all our pockets, young and old—everybody in Greater Victoria gladly participating in the giving, so that it will in fact, become a Memorial Arena, to

remember those who went from Saanich, from Oak Bay, from Esquimalt and the City of Victoria, with a common purpose to defeat the enemy and to save our democracy.

HARRY LANGLEY,
1010 Foul Bay Road.

THAT AIRPARK

I write again only because Mr. D. A. Stuart and Mr. B. J. Gadsden used my previous letter as a basis for discussing my matter which is outside my theme of the proposed Gordon Head Memorial Airpark, and to whom the ministry group seeking to change the zoning regulations.

Both Mr. Stuart and Mr. Gadsden have indicated that they believe the proposed Memorial Airpark will have the effect of bringing additional tourists to this city. I wonder what he thinks of the ethics of Victoria business men who sold residential properties in the affected areas, and on the basis of protection by existing zoning laws, and who now support the ministry group seeking to change the zoning regulations.

It seems to me but fair that those of your readers who may be interested should know that many of my neighbors and I have been both moral and, to a small extent, financial supporters of both Canadian Flying Clubs and the Air Cadets League, almost continuously since they were respectively organized. For this reason we are as pleased as anyone to hear of the new government subsidies for flying clubs.

Furthermore, if they would welcome us, a number of my neighbors and I should be happy to join the local flying club; always provided they do not intend to operate from the proposed Gordon Head Memorial Airpark.

We believe that project to be morally wrong and technically unsound. For our money we would back the opinion, now supported by surveys, of Air Commodore Alan Hull, who said in a letter published in the press of this city: "If I were in a responsible position and asked to recommend this area as an airpark for use as an ab initio flying training school, I would be reluctant to do so, because I would be frightened of the consequences."

I found it highly amusing to be the recipient of a lecture on "tolerance" by Mr. Gadsden. He

remember that the landscape is in keeping with the natural surroundings and enhances rather than detracts from the Monument itself.

We hope it may be felt that the landscaping is in keeping with the natural surroundings and enhances rather than detracts from the Monument itself.

May visitors, old and young, help to keep the grounds unspoiled in grateful remembrance of those to whom this monument is dedicated.

W. H. A. PREECE,
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P.O. Box 146, Victoria, B.C.

GLOBAL SURVEY

(Editor's note: This column is presented as an indication of American reaction to major world events.)

By DeWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

The way this worried, grumpy old world of ours has been thrilling and chuckling over the birth of Princess Elizabeth's baby, I guess we don't need to worry about humanness being dead.

News bulletins literally circled the globe to record the event, beginning with the announcement that the handsome young princess, heiress presumptive to the throne, was in labor with her first child. From then on the story was unfolded step by step until it became known that it was a boy who one day likely will head the Commonwealth. Newspapers in many lands splashed the story on front pages.

Britain herself is in a state of delirious joy. Big displays, planned for weeks by cities, towns and hamlets, got under way. It is one of the greatest celebrations of its kind Britain has known.

And what is the significance of all this? First off, although the Communist upheaval has seen the disappearance of several monarchies, we find British royalty apparently at the peak of popularity.

PEOPLE WANT IT

The Royal family is in Buckingham Palace because the people want it there. In short, Britain likes the traditions and pomp and splendor which go with kingship.

However, Britain is changing and one suspects that it will be a different country over which the new Prince will rule if he comes to the throne many years hence. Trying to look ahead I should say that he may well preside over a middle-of-the-road democracy in which the class inequalities have been eliminated. The economy will be ironed out so that everybody will get a fair break. That's the direction in which the country seems to be traveling now.

NOT HEREDITARY

The nobility will be streamlined. Long before then the House of Lords will have been reformed, and likely will be composed of elected representatives instead of hereditary lords as at present. As a matter of fact, while nobility probably won't be awarded for merit solely and in good taste to link a memorial to our war dead with commercial gain?

G. A. McCARTER

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Telegraph Bay Rd., R.R. 4.

OAK BAY MEMORIAL

The Vancouver Island Rock and Alpine Garden Society would like to acknowledge with most sincere thanks the tribute paid by the Reeve of Oak Bay for the help we so gladly gave in laying out the grounds.

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CLIPPED at RANDOM

WRONG ATTITUDES

Windsor Star

A Chicago doctor says the way a person plays the game and his attitude towards it, rather than his age, should determine his exercise program. From the explosive sounds on the seventh green, it would appear that a lot of folks ought to change to ping pong.

MECHANIZED UTOPIA

N.E.A. Service

Because zippers offer quick relief from the onerous job of fastening buttons, snaps, buckles and such, their manufacture has grown into a \$100,000,000-a-year industry. And because they also will get out of order at the most embarrassing and frustrating times, we now have a zipper repair tool which, its maker says, "is adjustable to 100 percent of all zipper problems." We find all this encouraging. For the gadgets that make our lives simpler (and at the same time more complex) also make jobs.

If this keeps up the American citizen may reach the point where he carries more equipment than a telephone lineman. But that's probably a small price to pay for banishing the spectre of technological unemployment.

Production Is The Key

By JOSEPH LISTER RUTLEDGE

Visiting Cartoonist Deplores Blood And Thunder Comic Strips

William Ferguson, cartoonist, well-known through his syndicated feature, "This Curious World," believes the majority of present-day comic strips are not fit for children.

"Too much blood and thunder," said the friendly American who arrived Sunday. "No so long ago we would never have thought of depicting gun battles and villains holding blood-dripping knives."

Mr. Ferguson recalled that comic strips were originally created for children. Many of them now are fit only for grown-ups, he said.

The cartoonist said, however, that present-day trends were for a return to the former simple comic strips.

Mr. Ferguson is here to speak tonight at a meeting sponsored by the Victoria Natural History Society and National Audubon Society at the Prince Robert House at 8.

A strong conservationist, Mr. Ferguson deplored the shooting of hawks and owls by farmers and hunters.

Clear Your Skin

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4 Municipalities Here To Receive \$230,000 Of \$2,000,000 Grant

If the farmer only knew the number of rats, mice and other rodents hawks killed every day," he said, "they would strongly protect them."

He said many birds had been given names which implied they were damaging, such as the chicken hawk. "Actually this bird very seldom attacks chicks unless he is in dire need of food during the breeding season," he said. "For the occasional chick he does take, he saves the farmer many dollars by killing hundreds of rodents."

When the details of the tax law were being worked out Finance Minister Herbert Aspinwall gave the municipalities an estimate of what proportion of any sales tax revenue distributed to the municipalities each municipality could expect.

Victoria, according to this estimate made last spring, would receive 6.611 per cent of the total. This represents \$13,222. Victoria had budgeted to receive \$154,000 from the tax this year.

Sanich, which budgeted for \$45,000 sales tax revenue, will receive almost \$60,000 as its share of the \$2,000,000. Oak Bay, which did not budget for any sales tax revenue this year, will receive about \$26,500. Esquimalt's share will be \$11,700.

Estimates of sums which other Vancouver Island municipalities will receive are as follows: Alberni \$6,300, Courtenay \$5,212, Cumberland \$2,498, Duncan \$7,366, Ladysmith \$4,932, Nanaimo \$16,608, Port Alberni \$17,760, North Cowichan \$13,100, Alert Bay \$812, Comox \$1,394, Lake Cowichan \$1,998, Parksville \$930, Qualicum Beach \$1,094 and Tofino \$548.

Accused Committed To Higher Court

Leo Allen, charged in city police court with breaking and entering the Victoria Beauty and Barber Supply Company premises, 747 View Street, on Oct. 22, was committed for trial in higher court by Magistrate N. C. Hall Monday.

Const. John Birch of the city police force testified he had apprehended the accused with his arm through a hole in the window of the front door of the store with a piece of glass in the other hand.

He added that investigation revealed two panes of glass had been broken in rear windows and a key which did not fit had been found in a rear door which bore a heel mark.

Const. Robert Morris and George Buckle gave supporting evidence. The former told the court that he had taken glass and wood bits from the trouser cuffs of the accused at the city jail, but that there was not enough for Inspector J. F. Vance, Vancouver criminologist, to identify them as being from the broken window of the View Street store.

Joseph McKenna, appearing for the accused, cross-examined each witness at length.

Battle Over U.S. Farm Prices Looms

WASHINGTON (CP) — Some Washington observers predict a new fight over farm price supports when Congress reconvenes in January.

The government's complicated, costly formula for maintaining the levels of farm-product prices has the support of Democrat farm leaders in both the Senate and the House of Representatives.

But the United States' two biggest farm organizations are on record in favor of a scaling-down price-support bill scheduled to go into effect Jan. 1, 1950.

The existing regulations are aimed at keeping the actual buying power of farm production right where it was during a specific period, in most cases 1909-1914. They put a floor under prices equal to 90 per cent of that parity figure. Commodities affected include corn, wheat, oats, rice, cotton and tobacco. What a farmer gets now for a bushel of wheat is intended to buy for him about 90 per cent of what he could buy in the base period by selling the same amount of grain.

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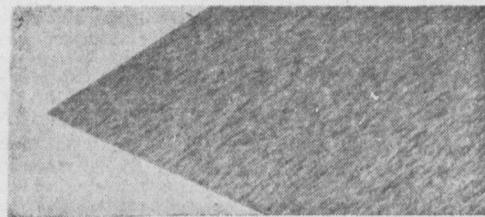
The provincial government has set aside for park purposes six more areas of the province.

The new park areas are as follows:

1. A lot northeast of Comox.
2. A small island, known as Idol Island, in Houston Passage, west of Salt Spring Island.
3. The southeast quarter of section 9 at Giller Bay, Texada Island.
4. Six lots at Fruitvale.
5. 122 acres on Roserim Lake.
6. 160 acres including hot springs and a lot west of Canoe River 20 miles southeast from Valemont.

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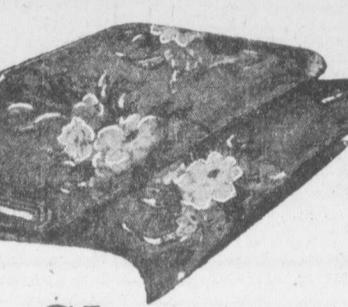
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6.35 p.m.	6.55 p.m.
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10.55 p.m.	11.15 p.m.

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Urges Non-Skid Surface On All Sooke-Jordan River Bridges

SOOKE—Tar surfacing of the road from Coal Creek to Jordan River and laying of a non-skid surface on all bridges* in the Sooke-Jordan River area, was advocated by C. A. Helgesen, newly-appointed director of the Sooke-Jordan River Chamber of Commerce, at a meeting of the group held in Otter Point school house.

J. T. Hunter was also appointed director. Committees named were as follows: Ways and means, Dal Elder, Walter Conder, J. T. Hunter and Fred Thorner; tourist, Jules Laverne, A. James, John E. Martin and T. E. Bernard; membership, Jack Elliott, R. E. Gibson and

To Call Tenders For 2 New Schools

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Parksville Legion Hears Of Unrra

PARKSVILLE—Efforts of doctors and nurses in the prevention of epidemics in the congested areas of Bavaria and Austria were praised by F. A. King, a director of U.N.R.R.A. work in the areas, recently arrived from England, in a talk to members of Mt. Arrowsmith Branch, Canadian Legion.

In giving an outline of the work of U.N.R.R.A. in Europe, Mr. King said each team was supposed to consist of 13 workers including a doctor and nurse, but more often there would be only half that number to carry out the work.

In many cases, one of the biggest tasks the workers had, was to give the people who had lost their homes and even their countries, the will to live again, according to Mr. King. Canada, he said, contributed \$158,738,000 to the cause of U.N.R.R.A.

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Island 'Teen Towns To Hold Convention

PORT ALBERNI—Robbie Mar, mayor of Alberni District Teen Town, announced the complete program for the convention of Island Teen Town delegates to be held here Friday, Saturday and Sunday. More than 24 delegates are expected.

Mr. James, who audited the books of the West Coast Improvement Association reported them in order, with funds of \$32 remaining following dissolution of the group. The money was turned over to the West Coast Ambulance Fund, in accordance with a previous agreement.

Mr. Gibson voiced regret at the illness of a director, Warren Kennedy of Otter Point.

A letter written in 1938 concerning plans to build the West Coast Road was brought to the meeting by Mrs. Austin Kirby and read.

Road Block Gives School Pupils Holiday

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View Royal Residents On Voting Lists Soon

Chairman Austin I. Curtis of the Greater Victoria School Board, informed members Monday night that he had received the assurance of the provincial government that residents in the unorganized territory of View Royal would be brought into the voting lists of either the city or a municipality as soon as the governing legislation could be amended.

At the same meeting, a request for a name-plate for McKenzie Avenue School from the Parent Teacher Association was passed to the estimates committee.

The committee was instructed to consider in next year's estimates name plates for all eight schools in the area needing them.

The building and grounds committee of the board will meet bargaining representatives of janitorial and maintenance staff next week to consider changes in the existing agreement.

Manslaughter Case Adjourned For Week

Preliminary hearing of Mrs. Phyllis Margaret McMurray, 850 Yates Street, who is charged with manslaughter over the traffic death Oct. 22 of 69-year-old Mrs. J. S. Fawcett, 895 Island Highway, opened in Provincial Police Court Monday and was adjourned until next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hedstrom, neighbors of the deceased, testified Mrs. Fawcett had been visiting them during the afternoon and was heading for her home at the time of the accident.

Mrs. Hedstrom testified she watched Mrs. Fawcett approach the highway and stop just before reaching the hard-top surface. She testified that Mrs. Fawcett was not on the road when she was struck, but that the car that hit her swerved off the road. She said, after the impact the car returned to the road, swerved across to the other side and continued on its way for some distance before coming to a stop.

Mr. Hedstrom told the court the body of the accident victim was thrown a considerable distance by the impact.

Harold Fallas, 2008 Chambers Street, and Flora Kendall, who were riding in the accident car as passengers while Mrs. McMurray was driving, testified Mrs. Fawcett was standing on the edge of the road on their right. They said the car had turned toward her when they noticed another car making to come out of a driveway on the left.

Testimony by a Provincial Police constable said fresh tire marks were found 18 inches off the hard surface of the highway at the spot where the accident occurred. There was nothing to prove, however, these marks had been made by the accident car.

A 1937 Oldsmobile coupe was entered as a court exhibit as the car involved. Dent, believed to be caused by the accident, were found on the right front fender and on the right windshield post.

A. I. Thomas, J.P., is presiding over the court. Alec Pearson is acting as prosecutor and George Gregory is defence counsel.

METCHOSIN MEETING

LANGFORD—The annual raters' meeting for the Sooke School District, Metchosin area, will be held Nov. 17. No trustee will be elected for Langford area this year, according to announcement of Patrick G. Strachan, secretary-treasurer of the Rural School District No. 62.

Duncan Trustees Offer Set Scale

DUNCAN—Request of district teachers for revision of the salary scale allowing \$1,700 to \$2,800 in the elementary schools and \$2,100 to \$3,500 in high schools was discussed at Duncan Consolidated School Board meeting.

Besides a business conference, the program includes dances, ping pong tournament, radio interview and tour, banquet, and tour of a pulp mill.

The board offered what they stated was the scale set by the B.C. School Teachers' Association, calling for \$1,400 to \$2,600 in elementary schools and \$1,800 to \$3,600 in high schools.

A letter was received from the National Film Board stating their agreement with the school board to provide films will terminate April, 1949, and they cannot carry on this service any longer. The senior principal of the schools in the district was requested to find out the cost of purchasing a projector for use in schools.

Permission was granted the municipality of North Cowichan to use the Sonoma school building for a ratepayers' meeting Dec. 6. Permission was also granted to the Cobble Hill High School pupils for leave of absence from school to attend a special performance of "Hamlet" in Duncan, Nov. 22.

Ladysmith Chamber Supports Nanaimo

LADYSMITH—Endorsement of two briefs from the Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce was given at a meeting of the Ladysmith Chamber here, at which Ian Humphries, vice-president, was chairman.

One brief dealt with the power of the Public Utilities Commission under the Motor Carriers' Act to refuse licenses to taxis

and trucks and the other concerned a clause written into the Municipal Act, empowering a municipal council or village commission to refuse the granting of trade licenses.

The Nanaimo chamber felt that the move was interfering with free enterprise and had reached the stage where not only could a new applicant be refused, but a business established for years could be closed, as licenses were granted on a semi-annual or annual basis.

School Open House

LANGFORD—During Education Week, which began Monday, Belmont High School will be open to parents and friends, Thursday and Friday during school hours.

An Armistice Dance sponsored by the Students' Council was attended by teachers, pupils and friends.

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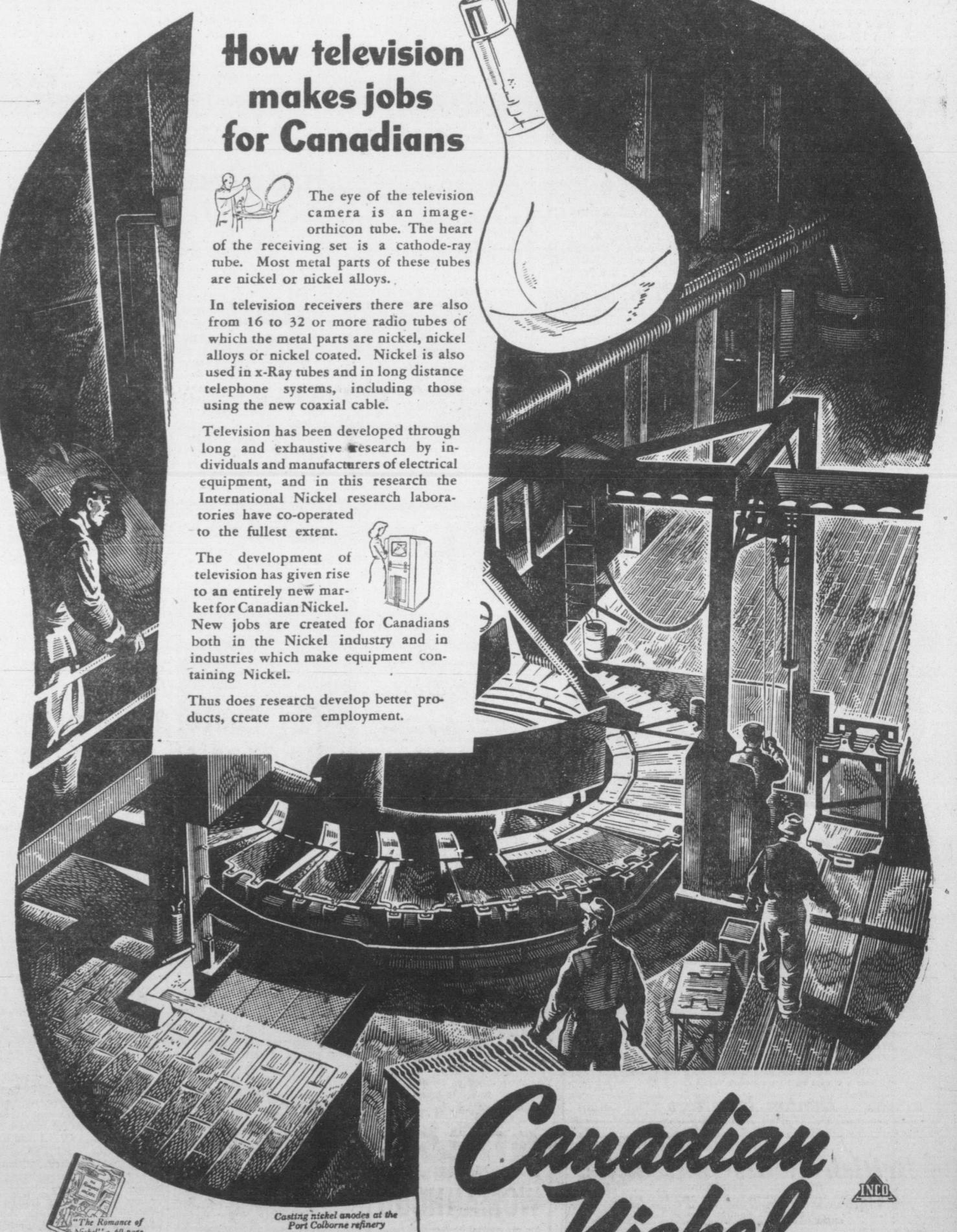
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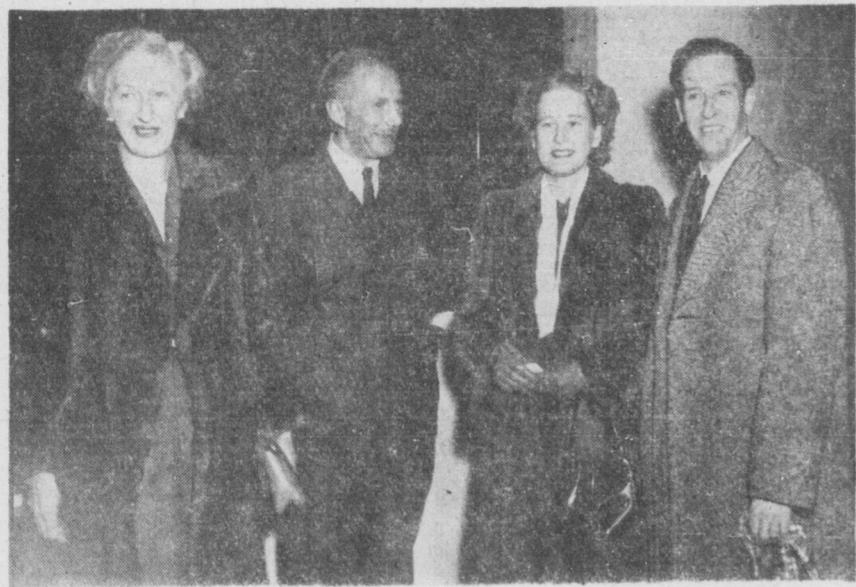
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Premiere Showing Of 'Hamlet'

His Honor The Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Charles A. Banks led the list of socially prominent Victorians who attended the premiere of Sir Laurence Olivier's Hamlet, last night, at the Odeon Theatre.

Among other invited guests were Premier Byron Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, Hon. L. H. Eyes and Mrs. Eyes, Hon. W. T. Strait and Mrs. Strait, Hon. Frank Putnam and Mrs. Putnam, Miss Sara Spencer, Mr. J. H. Booth and Mr. K. E. Hayter.

A capacity audience, all lovers of Shakespeare, included many visitors from up-island and from Seattle.



Victoria's younger set was well represented in the capacity audience. Sisters pictured above are Miss Phyllis and Miss Marjorie Patterson.

Musical Art—Members of Intermediate Musical Art Society met in the Newstead Realty Hall with president Marjorie Patterson in the chair. Those taking part in the program were, piano solos, Sylvia Scott, Betty Sinclair; violin, Terry Shaw; junior guest piano duets by Boyd Kurgar, Barry Turner; senior guests, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Johns; instrumental trio, Bill Abbott, Bernard Rain, Bill Haley; accompanists, Malcolm Hamilton and Miss Francis. Refreshments were served under convener Lorrie Moses.

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Engagements

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Williamson, 1124 Leonard Street, wish to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Sheila Agnes, to Robert Scott Colquhoun, eldest son of Mr. J. C. Colquhoun, M.B.E., and Mrs. Colquhoun of Woodbridge, Suffolk, England. The wedding will take place at Holy Trinity Church, Brompton, London, on Nov. 27, 1948.

Group Captain John M. and Mrs. Grant of 3850 Cambie Street, Vancouver, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Olive Noemi, to David, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell of 2307 Windsor Road, Victoria. Wedding to be announced later.

El Club Español, regular meeting, Wednesday at 8, Dr. Garsche's, 732 Yates Street. Plans will be completed for a Mexican dinner to be held at the home of Mrs. George Stoker, Saturday evening.

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Prominent Visitors To Attend Jamboree

Mr. Ray Gullick, Australian Trade Commissioner for British Columbia, with Mrs. Gullick, and Mr. Peter Young, newly appointed British Trade Commissioner for British Columbia, are expected from Vancouver tomorrow and will spend several days here, staying at the Empress Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Gullick and Mr. Young will be special guests at evening activities which will be held tomorrow

by the Jubilee Jamboree and Doll's Bazaar at the Crystal Garden. Parties have also been arranged for the evening show and dance by Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Michelin, Mr. and Mrs. G. Edge-wood, Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Ian Butters, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Englebert and many others.

After-Five Reception At Victoria Golf Club

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ruggles and Mr. and Mrs. George Whitaker will entertain at the Victoria Golf Club this evening to honor Mr. and Mrs. Morley Aylsworth, who arrived today from London, Ont., and will be guests at the Empress Hotel for the remainder of the week. Mr. Aylsworth is president and general manager of the Canada Trust Co. and the Huron and Erie Mortgage Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brynjolfson, formerly of this city, left Sunday evening for Saint John's, N.B., where they will make their home.

Hon. Frank Putnam and Mrs. Putnam, Falkland Road, have as their guest for several days, Mr. Putnam's sister, Mrs. Norman MacKenzie of Vancouver, en route.

Mrs. R. H. Palmer entertained at a small dinner party at the Union Club Monday evening prior to attending the premiere show of "Hamlet," at the Odeon Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanbury left for London, Ont., recently where they will make their home. They plan to visit in Vancouver, Winnipeg and Toronto, en route.

Mrs. P. W. Pennefather and Mrs. H. Agnew of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, arrived in the city Saturday, to spend the winter months here. They are staying at Strathcona Hotel.

Mrs. Rita Bulpitt, formerly of Australia and England, is a recent arrival in Victoria, and is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glendinning, Epworth Street.

Former Victorians Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foulis are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Foulis in Vancouver prior to sailing aboard the Aorangi Thursday for a two-year stay in New Zealand.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Riley, who have spent the past few months in Victoria, staying at the Empress Hotel, left the city Monday, en route to New Orleans. They expect to spend Christmas in Bogota, South America, and later will continue travels that will take them completely around the world.

Mrs. A. E. Bowden and Mrs. T. Bowden were hostesses recently at the home of the former, 1841 Lulie Street, to honor Miss Hilda Soulsby, whose marriage will take place late in November. The bride-elect and her mother, Mrs. H. W. S. Soulsby, were presented with sorsage bouquets and Miss Soulsby also received a Chinese brass tray from the assembled guests, who included Rev. E. M. Smiley, Mesdames Roland Braley, D. Hudson, H. E. Braley, W. S. Nason, M. Telford, Durkin and Miss Margaret Mason.

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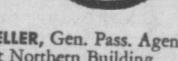
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Girl Guide Notes

First Esquimalt — A sum of \$188 was realized at a home cooking stall in Spencer's basement. The money is to be used to pay rent of the hall and to help First Esquimalt guides go to Nanaimo early next month to visit a guide company there. This company paraded to the Esquimalt Cenotaph Service on Armistice Day and a wreath was laid by Christine Wakefield. New members recently enrolled are Evelyn Holland and Judith Slade.



New York Acclaims Canadian Star

NEW YORK (CP)—Canadian-born Allyn McLerie, the ingenue lead in "Where's Charley?" says "I couldn't make up my mind whether to be a dancer or an actress so I finally decided to be both."

In either capacity she's a standout.

A slender, attractive brunette with a soft, musical laugh, Miss McLerie began her professional stage career at 14, as a ballet dancer with the San Carlo Opera Company. She played in Toronto and Hamilton, Ont., during a six-week tour.

But the young actress—she's in her early 20's—was lured by the footlights from infancy. She told about her theatrical progress in an interview, after a matinee performance of "Where's Charley?" the musical version of "Charley's Aunt."

"I love the play," she said. "I like the part because it gives me a chance to do everything, not just dancing—singing, acting and comedy. It's my favorite role to date."

And for her performance she's received bouquets from the critics.

Allyn moved with her mother from Grand'Mere, Que., to Brooklyn when she was three years old. Her father, Allan Gordon McLerie, a First World War flier who subsequently became the first man to fly a winter mail route in Canada, died shortly before his daughter was born. Allyn took piano and dancing lessons but when she was 11 decided to specialize in dancing. Practising the piano was too boring.

Dancer Allyn McLerie playing ingenue lead in current Broadway production, "Charley's Aunt."



In 1943, while still in high school, she danced in the ensemble of "One Touch of Venus" and once played Sono Osato's role. A year later she was understudy to Miss Osato in "On the Town." Eventually she took over the starring role—and married Adolph Green, a co-author of the musical.

After the show closed, fortune frowned. She was signed for another but it was never produced; she almost, but not quite, got into "Allegro" and "Park Avenue," and she appeared only briefly in "Bonanza Bound" which never reached Broadway.

A year ago she was dancing with John Butler at New York's fashionable Cotton Room and making a success of it. But she ended that engagement because "ballroom dancing wasn't what I wanted to do."

Hollywood was next—not for any special reason; I just got tired of not working." She sang and danced with Perry Como in "Words and Music," a film awaiting release.

Hollywood brought her new Broadway spot, too. It was there she met George Abbott, producer of "Where's Charley?" in which she now is playing.

Allyn is obviously thrilled by her success as the demure Amy Spettigue. No wonder. The critics called her "delightful," "versatile," "warm and graceful"—even "a sensation."

"I guess what I'm really interested in now is acting. I've done so much dancing already," she said when asked about her future plans.

Clubwomen's News

Papers Read—Servimus Group of Metropolitan United Church held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. G.W. Walkley, 2537 Cook Street, with the president, Mrs. B. C. Bracewell, in the chair. Two of the group's members, Mrs. Ed. Williams and Mrs. W. H. Muncy, read interesting papers describing recent trips to England. Mrs. O. H. Lamont led the devotional period. Mrs. T. Hammond assisted the hostess in serving refreshments.

Food—Food parcels to the value of \$120.75 were sent overseas during the year, members of Navy League Chapter I.O.D.E. were told at their meeting at headquarters. Regent Mrs. W. Carter placed a wreath on the chapter's memorial monument at Esquimalt, on Armistice Day. During the month 10 nursery bags were sent overseas and postwar convener told members that two parcels, valued at \$16.17, were also sent. Flowers were sent to the Veteran's Hospital.

The ballet concerns the events at a garden party given by the Contessa Ilaria del Carretto—she loves Zenobia Bonaventura, a gay young man of fashion—and by what means she endeavors to win his love. The theme explores the magic of perfume and all it can do to accomplish the purpose of a determined woman.

New Members—Mrs. N. Y. Robertson and Mrs. E. F. Robson were welcomed at the meeting of Pro Patria Women's Auxiliary No. 31, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. Mrs. J. Dunkeld presided and the sick committee reported visiting 235 veterans in Victoria hospitals, leaving gifts of cigarettes and candy bars. Plans were completed for the annual bazaar on Thursday. Mrs. David Swan, president, Provincial Command Women's Auxiliaries, will officiate at opening ceremonies at 2 o'clock. Mrs. A. E. Macdonald is general convener and Mrs. J. Burn convener of tea arrangements.

Thirty-Ninth Birthday—Guests attending the 39th birthday celebration and monthly meeting of the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute included Mrs. Stella Gummow, superintendent of British Columbia Women's Institutes, Mrs. J. Anderson, charter member of Otter Point, and members of Shirley Women's Institute. Mrs. D. J. Deftochie, secretary, reported a profit of \$188 from the annual games night. Mrs. G. G. Aitken, official delegate at the recent district board women's institute conference, gave her report. Members voted \$5 towards the children's hospital. During the meeting Mrs. Gummow spoke of her recent trip. Refreshments were served and a birthday cake centred the tea table. Mrs. Conder and Mrs. S. M. Banner, president of Shirley W.I., poured tea. Hostesses were Mesdames W. U. Cains, Manzer, A. Smith, Robertson, J. Arden and A. James.

Past Presidents—A meeting of all past presidents will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Langley, 3071 Scott Street, next Monday to make arrangements for a past presidents' night to be held at the next meeting, it was announced at the Lodge Primrose, No. 32 Daughters of England meeting. Worthy president, Mrs. A. J. Brown was in the chair. A complete report on the bazaar held recently was given. Among those present were several members of Lodge Princess Alexandra.

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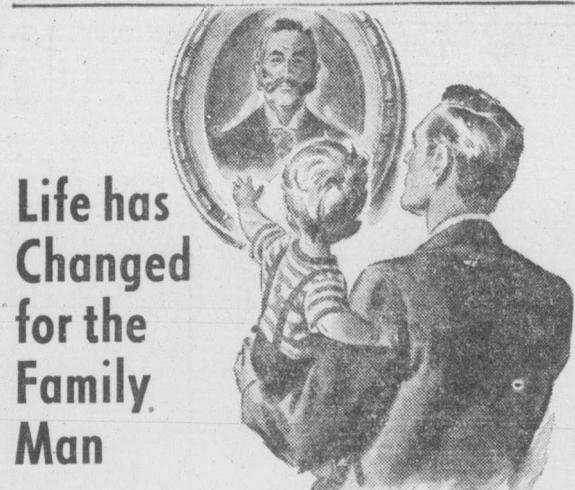
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National Contributory Pensions Only Solution, Claims Johnson

Premier Byron Johnson, reviewing in a radio address his stewardship since becoming premier more than 10 months ago, told British Columbians Monday night that he knew of only one solution to the pension problem—a national contributory insurance scheme.

"I have made representations to Ottawa in this regard," he said, "and I can assure you that I will continue to press for an inauguration of such a scheme."

Speaking over CBC provincial stations Mr. Johnson described the sales tax and the hospital insurance scheme as the most important pieces of legislation effected during his first session as premier. He said that during that session the government was faced with two alternatives: either the curtailment of expenditures in all departments, including highway maintenance, education, and old-age pensions and social allowances; or increase the government's revenue.

"When one takes into consideration the tremendous development which is taking place in this province . . . I feel that you will agree with me when I say it would be difficult, and I think otherwise, to curtail expenditures in maintaining our highways, or providing proper facilities for our children in our schools, withholding from those who administer our forest areas the funds to properly protect our great forest wealth, to curtail expenditures in our public health and welfare departments and finally to curtail our expenditures for old-age pensions and social assistance and mothers' pensions, at a time when we are enjoying the degree of employment and prosperity which we have at the present time," he said.

COST INCREASES

Mr. Johnson noted that in 1941 B.C. with 14,400 old-age pensioners, paid them \$70,000. In 1948, with 25,000 pensioners the pensions will cost \$4,500,000 and with the hospital services provided for pensioners the total cost will exceed \$5,000,000.

The premier said that the estimated cost this year of the government's various social allowances was \$8,197,000.

"The revenue which the provincial government receives under the social security and municipal aid tax is definitely allocated to the payment of pensions, mothers' allowances, social allowances and other social services, thus providing a degree of security for those receiving pensions or social assistance," he said.

"I think I am right when I say there are few persons who will disagree with the action of your government in placing the social security program on a sound basis which will give a reasonable assurance to our senior citizens and those who find themselves in the category of being unemployable that the present policy be maintained."

EXPANDING REVENUE

Mr. Johnson said that in allocating 1 per cent of the sales tax revenue to civic governments the municipalities would be placed in a position to carry out the many responsibilities which are the part of a civic administration, and with the increase in population and industry of the province they would have an expanding revenue.

"In order to bring a sense of security to people who will undoubtedly be confronted at some time in their life with hospital care, to wipe out the problem of unpaid hospital bills, to place these institutions (hospitals) on a sound financial basis, the government deemed it necessary to introduce an overall scheme of hospital insurance," he said. "We are confident that this plan will not only bring further security to the people but will place our hospitals on a sound financial basis."

At a future date, Mr. Johnson indicated, he would deal more extensively with the hospital insurance scheme, the Fraser Valley flood, the fight for removal of the mountain differential freight rate, the extension of the Pacific Great Eastern railway, industrial development and many other matters.

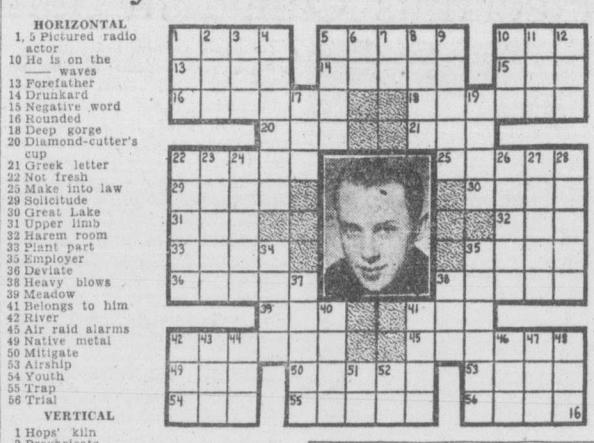
He described as unparalleled in B.C. history the current period of growth and industrial development.

He welcomed those thousands of men, women and children who have come to B.C. during recent years "and who are doing their part in assisting in this development."

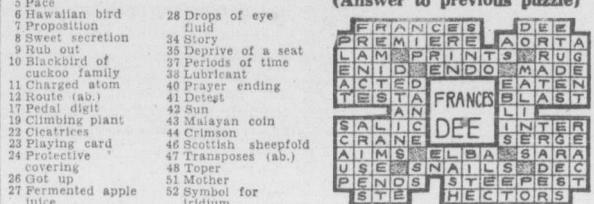
C.C.F. Renominates Dominion Leader

ROSETOWN, Sask. (CP)—A C.C.F. nominating convention Monday night named M. J. Coldwell, Dominion leader of the C.C.F., to contest the Rosetown-Biggar riding in the next federal election. Mr. Coldwell has held the seat since 1934.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



(Answer to previous puzzle)



Alleged Irregularities Among Government Officials Probed

LONDON (CP)—An alien using five different names was said to have thrown lavish parties and to have given free suits and sums of money to British ministers, as an inquiry began into alleged irregularities involving government officials.

In most cases the allegations were denied.

Attorney-General Sir Hartley Shawcross Monday accused Sidney Stanley, also known as Solo Monkman, of being the individual "around whom, with one exception, the whole tangled web seems to have spun."

Sir Hartley said investigators had not found enough evidence to warrant legal prosecutions. He made a four-hour statement before the special three-man inquiry tribunal set up by the House of Commons to investigate allegations that some officials had accepted bribes.

Allegations listed by the Attorney-General were:

1. Stanley had been paying £50 (\$200) a week to John W. Belcher, parliamentary secretary to the Board of Trade, and occasional gifts of £100 to Belcher's wife, whom he called "Lulu."

Sir Hartley added, however, that this statement could not be corroborated elsewhere and that it was "strongly and indignantly denied by Mr. and Mrs. Belcher."

2. Stanley had taken Belcher, George Gibson, a director of the Bank of England, and Charles Key, Minister of Works, at various times to have suits of clothes tailored.

It was denied the suits were gifts.

3. Stanley gave a birthday party for Belcher. It was described as "somewhat lavish"

and was said to have cost £89. 4. Part of Belcher's hotel bill at the Labor Party Conference at Margate, Kent, last May was paid by Stanley.

5. A suggestion that £5,000 was to be divided between Belcher and "Sir Arthur Soskice, the Solicitor-General," so that a prosecution against a firm of football pool betting) promoters should be dropped.

Solicitor-General Soskice said there was not a word of truth in it.

Spencer's Remnants Cabaret Dance

Under auspices of Spencer's Remnants of Victoria, a cabaret dance featuring the "Cubanaires" will be held in the Arcade Auditorium, Broad Street, Nov. 23.

The dance has been arranged for the purpose of raising additional funds to cover expenses of Miss Pamela Newton while at the Trinity College of Music, London, Eng. Miss Newton, a coloratura soprano, was awarded a scholarship and according to recent

letters is enjoying her studies, which include ear training, sight and solo singing and piano. "Je suis Titania" and the recitation and polonaise from the opera Mignon are some of her present works.

The Holberg Suite by Grieg, Sonata in G Major by Beethoven and 16 waltzes by Brahms are the piano selections besides which the course includes an intermediate harmony paper.

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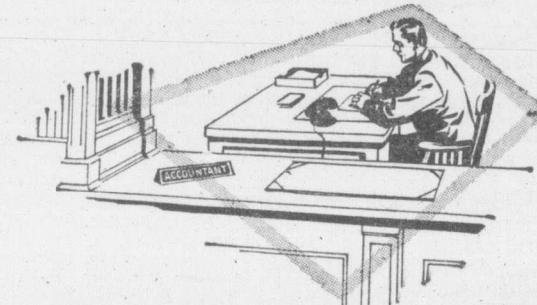
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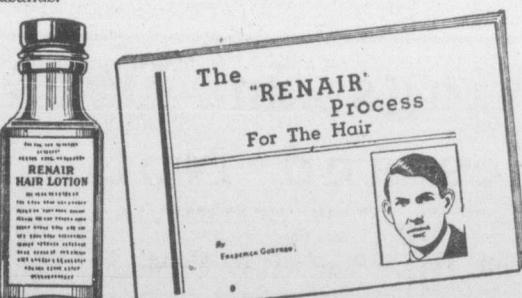
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Victoria Liberals Told To Honor Coalition Bond

Victoria Liberals were told Monday night to continue to hold up their end of the Coalition bargain and at the same time to prepare for a straight party fight. Both warnings came from the Victoria Liberal Association's president, Capt. J. D. Proudfoot.

"In any coalition there are naturally many restrictions which do not allow complete freedom of action," he told the association's annual meeting. "Like all compromises there must be in the Coalition a great deal of give and take."

"We, as good partners, must not by word or action, do anything to gain advantage for our party which would be considered slick politics."

MUST DECIDE

"It must always be remembered that we will have to go to the public for support on straight party lines at some time. It will be the duty of our leaders to explain their position in the Coalition government at a convention or executive meeting in the near future. It will be the duty and privilege of Liberals to decide when we should go to the country on straight party lines.

"I would like to repeat — we

must honor our bond, and we expect our partners to do the same. I would like to add one thing on this matter of coalition—there has never been 'any fog' as to our place in the present Coalition."

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CAN GET OUT

"If the Conservatives are unhappy they can get out," he said. "We can carry the country at any time."

The association adopted a resolution which said "may the day soon come when Liberalism shall regain its rightful position in this province."

Mr. Proudfoot, predicting that 1949 would be an election year, called for renewed efforts to build up the association and prepare for the fight.

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"I challenge your decision," said one of the members. "The returning officer must cast the deciding vote."

"I'm in a bit of a spot," remarked J. A. Worthington, the returning officer. "Personally I'd rather not vote."

A delegate suggested that not all members had voted and they now be permitted to cast their ballots but this was ruled out because the polls had been closed.

Another suggestion, that Mr. Worthington choose a name from a hat, came from the floor but Mr. Proudfoot spurned this, saying: "This must be conducted properly."

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Finally Mr. Worthington re-

fused to cast the deciding ballot and Mr. Proudfoot called for a second vote. Mrs. Reid received 45 votes to Mr. Pollock's 42.

Mr. Proudfoot earlier had been formally returned as president. The new vice-presidents are Earl M. Briggs and Mrs. Linda Smith. Arthur H. Cox is continuing as secretary.

Honorary officers elected Monday night are: Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent, former Prime Minister King, Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew and Premier Byron Johnson.

Resolutions of confidence in Mr. St. Laurent, Mr. Mayhew and Mr. Johnson, and a vote of thanks to Mr. King were passed.

other shacks in the little Haugland and Kerr camp at 12-mile on the Kalum Road were destroyed.

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Seven Soldiers Poisoned

FAIRBANKS, Alaska (AP)—One soldier died Monday and six others were ill, two in serious condition, from poisoning at the Galena air force base, the Ladd Field public information office reported.

At the conference, held every 10 years at the home of the Archbishop of Canterbury, were 329 bishops from all over the world. They were of all races and color, Bishop Sexton said.

Arthur Cox To Attend Ottawa Liberal Meeting

Arthur H. Cox, secretary of the Victoria Liberal Association, will leave Victoria Thursday for eastern Canada to attend, among other business, a meeting of the national executive of the Liberal Party. The meeting will be held in Ottawa Nov. 29. Mr. Cox is a member of the national executive.

PEOPLE TIRED

"The people of England are tired, but still have their invincible spirit. There is little or no war talk, even although preparations are going on all around," the speaker said. He told of seeing badly damaged churches, but marvelled at the fact that St. Paul's, right in the heart of London, received only two hits.

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Pay Increases, Better Pensions To Be Sought By Island Teachers

Vancouver Island teachers at the concluding session of their second annual convention here went on record as believing increases in teachers' salaries are warranted and that teachers' service pensions should be raised.

After it was pointed out the cost of living has increased considerably since the current salary grant scale of the department of education came into being, the teachers voted overwhelmingly in favor of having the B.C. Teachers' Federation press the provincial government to bring the salary-grant scale up-to-date.

The meeting was informed local school boards throughout the province were reluctant to make adequate increases in teachers' salaries while grants from the education department remained unchanged.

Stan Evans, assistant general secretary of the provincial federation, told the meeting the federation executive was looking into the matter of pressing for a general increase in the present minimum annual salaries for teachers.

He said one plan now being considered called for minimum salaries ranging from \$1,650 to \$3,000 for elementary school teachers possessing their first class certificates and minimum salaries ranging from \$2,000 to \$3,800 for secondary school teachers possessing their academic certificates.

PENSIONS
On the subject of pensions, Mr. Evans declared present service pensions were entirely inadequate, and maintained the cur-

rent scale should be revised to allow increases.

Following this, the meeting voted in favor of pressing for the establishment of \$40 a month pensions for retired persons who are single and pensions of \$80 a month for those with dependents.

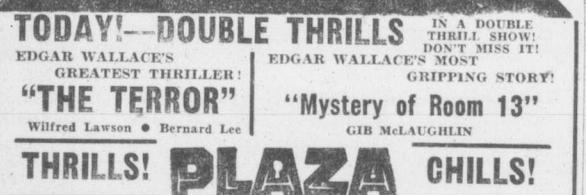
Under existing legislation, women teachers retire at age 60 and men teachers at 65. Mr. Evans said teachers who retire before they reach these ages forfeit much of their pension money.

He contended this was not fair since pension money was really a reserve portion of a salary which had been earned.

He said also that teachers who pass the retirement age and continue teaching forfeit some or all of their pensions if they earn more than \$150 a month, while those who work at jobs other than teaching receive the full amount.

PLAZA THEATRE

J. G. Reeder, Edgar Wallace's bank detective, is hot on the trail again, at the Plaza Theatre tracking down the head of a nation-wide ring of highly successful counterfeiters in "The Mystery of Room 13." Reeder, one of the most unusual of all fictional sleuths, proves to be an even more engaging person on the screen than he has ever been in any of Wallace's many excellent stories about him. This is, of course, no reflection on Wallace's creation, but, rather, special commendation to Director Norman Lee and Gibb McLaughlin, who plays the role in this Allianc picture.



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Victoria Group To Sail Soon As Strike Breaking

Eighteen Canadian Chinese and East Indians whose visit to their native lands has been delayed by more than three months by the maritime strike on the U.S. Pacific coast, will shortly be able to make their home visit, according to present indications of settlement of the strike, it was reported today by C. E. Blaney, of Capital Travel Service, travel agents.

Mr. Blaney said today he had been advised by the American President Lines that the Pacific coast maritime strike was showing signs of breaking and the company expected its first ship, the General Meigs, to sail for the Far East Nov. 26, or seven days after termination of the strike.

The General Meigs will sail from San Francisco for the Far East, via Honolulu, and will call at Yokohama, Shanghai, Hong Kong and Manila. The other three passenger ships of the line will sail at intervals thereafter.

The Victoria group of Canadian, Chinese and East Indians was first scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Sept. 6, but the sailing was canceled owing to the strike.

Senator Macdonald Of P.E.I. Dies In His 76th Year

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP)— Senator J. Alexander Macdonald, 75, died Monday at his home in nearby Cardigan. A senator since July, 1935, he had previously served as a Conservative member of the House of Commons for Kings. Death was due to a heart attack.

Born at Tracadie, P.E.I., April 12, 1874, he was the son of Scottish parents. He became a merchant and produce exporter as president of J. A. Macdonald and Co. Ltd. at Cardigan and president of Associated Shippers Inc. at Charlottetown.

He was also director of the Cardigan Electric Co. Ltd., Cardigan Silver Fox Co. and Georgetown Fish Co. Ltd.

His political career began with his election as a Conservative to the Prince Edward Island Legislature in 1908.

He was elected to the House of Commons in the 1925 general election to represent King's. He was sworn in as a Privy Councillor and appointed a minister without portfolio in the Conservative cabinet of 1926. He was re-elected at the 1926 and 1930 general elections and was again appointed minister without portfolio in the 1930 cabinet.

A Roman Catholic, he was married in 1905 to Marie J. MacDonald, daughter of Capt. Joseph MacDonald of Cardigan. There are eight children.

The death of Senator Macdonald raised the vacancies in the Upper House to 15.

Kingscote Commands Sea Cadet Corps

Cmdr. R. P. Kingscote, R.C.N. (Retired), takes over temporary command of the Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps here, it was reported today by officials of the Navy League of Canada.

Cmdr. Kingscote assumes command of the R.C.S.C. following retirement of Lieut. Cmdr. C. R. Powell, R.C.S.C. commanding officer.

A special meeting was held at the end of last week to thank Lieut. Cmdr. Powell for his services to the corps. He was presented with an inscribed silver cigarette case by Denis Brown, sea cadet co-ordinator for the Vancouver Island division of the Navy League of Canada, on behalf of the division.

The overhaul is the general one made at the end of every four-year period, Mr. Briggs said. The Aristotelis is expected to be here until Nov. 26.

Yarrows Overhaul Honduran Vessel

The Honduran ship Aristotelis is now in at Yarrows Ltd. and will enter drydock today for general overhaul, it was reported today by Ken Briggs, of King Bros. Ltd., shipping agents.

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YORK THEATRE

Twenty-first Century Fox's sensational use of the semi-documentary technique calling for on-the-spot filming of real-life stories, brought with it a casting innovation that is adding a great deal to the all-over effect of realism. Believing that new faces would add to the realism of "The Iron Curtain," a factual film about international espionage, now showing at the York Theatre, the studio imported five character actors from the New York stage to play the principal supporting roles to Dana Andrews and Gene Tierney.

ROYAL THEATRE

Setting of Cary Grant's and

Myrna Loy's home in RKO's

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A sensational new dancing

star, Penny Edwards, bows in

Warner Bros.' laugh-provoking

musical, "Two Guys from Texas," Dennis Morgan and Jack Carson Technicolor star now at the Capitol Theatre.

She hails from the Broadway

stage, danced and sang in Cole Porter's "Let's Face It"; Ziegfeld Follies," the Olsen and

Johnson madcap entertainment,

"Laffing Room Only," and other

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personality, Miss Edwards has

been considered by Hollywood

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Marilyn Miller, June Haver, Lu-

cille Bremer and Eleanor Powell.

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A special appeal

TOKYO (AP)—Alfred W.

Brooks, counsel for two Japa-

neses convicted of war crimes,

plans to appeal the International

Tribunal's verdict to the United

Nations and the World Court.

Brooks said a group of Japanese

had raised enough yen for him

to continue to live in Japan

while preparing an appeal.

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CRUSADE IN EUROPE

Sicilian Campaign Finished Mussolini; Monty Invades Italy

The complete destruction of the defending elements.

Nevertheless, by the time the Seventh and Eighth Armies had closed up into position for their final assault against the Mount Etna bastion the German saw that the game was up and began the evacuation across the Strait of Messina. Our bombers operated against this line of escape, but the narrowness of the strait allowed the enemy to get out most of the badly battered German garrison during hours of darkness.

Our plotting board in the air operations room showed that many planes and bombs were blown far off course, but generally the columns kept on target and when the one we were watching had passed overhead, we returned to headquarters to await reports. Most of us turned in to catch a few hours of sleep.

The first messages in the morning were a mixture of good and bad. A number of the gliders participating in the airborne attack on the British front had been cast loose too far from their targets and the high wind had dropped some into the sea.

We feared a heavy loss of life and, though statistics later showed that casualties were less than we feared, it was still a tragic incident. On both flanks the landings from the sea seemed to be proceeding well with only moderate opposition.

Up to the moment no amphibious attack in history had approached this one in size. Along miles of coast line there were hundreds of vessels and small boats afloat and anti-like files of advancing troops ashore. Overhead were flights of protecting fighters.

Patton pushed vigorously forward to the centre of the island, while with his extreme left flank he threw mobile columns around the western perimeter of the island, entering Palermo within 12 days after the initial landing.

Speed Upsets Enemy, Exploits Advantages

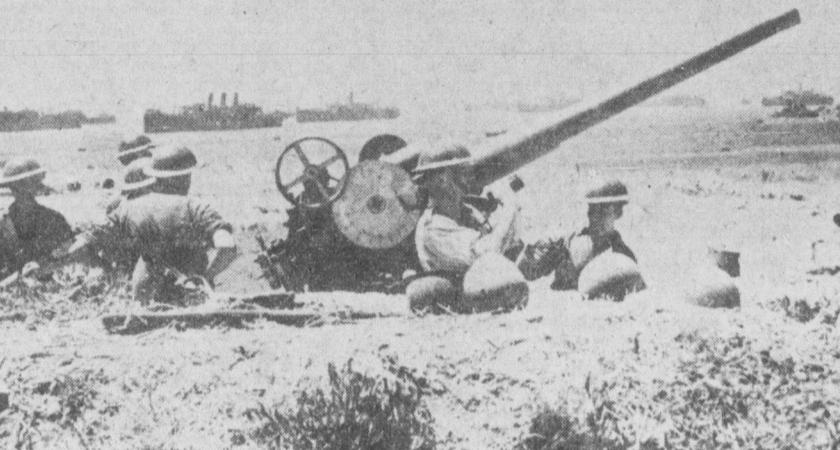
He was a shrewd student of warfare who always clearly appreciated the value of speed in the conduct of operations. Speed of movement often enables troops to minimize any advantage the enemy may temporarily gain but, more important, speed makes possible the full exploitation of every favorable opportunity and prevents the enemy from readjusting his forces to meet successive attacks.

Patton employed these tactics relentlessly, and thus not only minimized casualties but shook the whole Italian government so forcibly that Mussolini toppled from his position of power in late July.

By the end of July the Italian garrison, except for a few small elements under the direct domination of their German overlords, had entirely quit, but along the great saw-toothed ridge of which the centre was Mount Etna the German garrison was fighting skillfully and savagely. Panzer and paratroop elements here were among the best we encountered in the war, and each position won was gained only through

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BOOMERANG—Members of a British coastal defense unit man a gun commanding the harbor of Syracuse in Sicily. It was one of the many guns captured in good firing condition when the seat of ancient power was taken by the Allies.

What To Do? Problem Before Eisenhower

It was during this campaign that the unfortunate "slapping incident" involving General Patton took place. Patton, on a visit to base hospitals to see the wounded, encountered, in quick succession, two men who had no apparent physical hurts. Of the first one he met, Patton inquired why he was a patient in the hospital. To this the man replied, "General, I guess it's my nerves." Patton flew into a rage. He had, himself, been under a terrific strain for a period of many days. Moreover, he sincerely believed that there was no such thing as true "battle fatigue" or "battle neurosis."

He always maintained that any man who began to show signs of breaking under battle conditions could by shock be restored to a sense of responsibility and to adequate performance of duty. At the moment, also, Patton was in a highly emotional state because of the sights he had seen and the suffering he had sensed among the wounded of the hospital.

He broke out into a torrent of abuse against the soldier. His tirade drew protests from doctors and nurses, but so violent was his outbreak that they hesitated to intervene.

Within a matter of moments he met a second soldier under somewhat similar circumstances. This time his emotions were so uncontrollable that he swung a hand at the soldier's head. He struck the man's helmet, which rolled along the ground, and by this time doctors and nurses, overcoming their natural timidity in the presence of the commanding general, intervened between Patton and the soldier.

Both enlisted men were, of course, badly upset. One of them was seriously ill. The doctors later testified that he had a temperature of 102. Patton soon gained sufficient control of himself to continue his inspection and left the hospital.

But throughout his visit he continued to talk in a loud voice about the cowardice of people who claimed they were suffering from psychoneuroses and, from his impulsiveness were the very

qualities that made him, in open situations, such a remarkable leader of an army. In pursuit and exploitation there is need for a commander who sees nothing but the necessity of getting ahead; the more he drives his men the more he will save their lives. He must be indifferent to fatigue and ruthless in demanding the last atom of physical energy. All this I well understood, and could explain the matter to myself, in spite of my indignation at the act.

Wanted To Save Patton For European Battles

I felt that Patton should be saved for service in the great battle still facing us in Europe, yet I had to devise ways and means to insure prompt performance of duty by every man of the organization. In a platoon or in a battalion, when the sign of hesitation or shirking on the part of any individual, it must be quickly and sternly repressed. Soldiers will not follow any battle leader with confidence unless they know that he will require full performance of duty from every member of the team. When bullets are flying and every man's safety and welfare depend upon every other man in the team doing his job, men will not accept a weakling as their leader.

As a result I determined to keep Patton. I first wrote him a sharp letter of reprimand in which I informed him that a repetition of such an offense would be cause for his instant relief. I informed him, also, that his retention as a commander in my theatre would be contingent upon his offering an apology to the two men whom he had insulted. I demanded also that he apologize to all the personnel of the hospital present at the time of the incident. Finally, I required that he appear before the officers and representative groups of enlisted men of each of his divisions to assure them that he had given way to impulse and respected their positions as fighting soldiers of a democratic nation.

Patton instantly complied and kept in touch with results again through a series of observers and inspectors.

No Censorship, Use Own Judgment

In the meantime, as soon as I had determined upon my course of action, I called in to see me the group of reporters who had brought me the story of the occurrence. I explained to them in detail the action I had taken and the reasons for it. I read them the letter I had written to Patton and extracts from the letter he wrote me in reply. This, so far as I was then concerned, closed the incident.

On one point connected with the matter there has been considerable misapprehension. This was the assumption that censorship was applied. On the contrary, my staff and General Patton were told that under no circumstances was there to be any effort to suppress the story. These specific instructions, which I issued personally to a group of newspaper men, covered "indirect pressure" as well as direct censorship. They were flatly told to use their own judgment!

That they voluntarily refused to write or speak about the matter is proved by the fact that two of the press representatives who made a detailed report to me of the affair returned to the United States within a few days after the occurrence. They were

then no longer under the direct or indirect influence of Allied Headquarters.

When months later, the story finally reached Washington via the gossip route, a great public uproar immediately followed its broadcast by a commentator. To play fair with the pressmen in our own headquarters, my chief of staff decided to hold an informal press conference to supply any details of information that they might lack. My only instructions to him were, "Tell the full truth."

After the incident was all over my old friend George sent me a long letter in which the following appeared: "I am at a loss to find words with which to express my chagrin and regret at having given a man to whom I owe everything and for whom I would gladly lay down my life, cause to be displeased with me."

Mussolini Thrown Out, Unrest In Italy

The results of the Sicilian campaign were more far-reaching than the mere capture of the enemy garrison. The bombastic Mussolini was thrown out. Evidence of unrest and dissatisfaction throughout the Italian nation became more and more pronounced and it was obvious that Italy was seeking the easiest way out of the war. Mussolini's place as Premier was taken by the old Field Marshal Pietro Badoglio.

The Italian hope of independently negotiating a surrender was slim indeed, because throughout the Italian governmental structure Mussolini had permitted or had been forced to accept the infiltration of countless Germans, all of whom were ready to pounce upon the first sign of defection and to take over the Italian nation in name as well as in fact. But in spite of German watchfulness the Italian government attempted to reach us by sending an agent to Lisbon.

They began a series of negotiations, secret communications, clandestine journeys by secret agents, and frequent meetings in hidden places that, if encountered in the fictional world, would have been scorned as incredible melodrama.

Brig. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, later the gallant commander of the 101st Airborne Division, had been hurried secretly to Rome, where his personal adventures and those of his companion added another adventurous chapter to the whole thrilling story. The risks he ran were greater than I asked any other agent or emissary to undertake during the war—he carried weighty responsibilities and discharged them with unerring judgment, and every minute was in imminent danger of discovery and death.

Montgomery Slips Divisions Into Italy

These negotiations were still proceeding when, according to plan, Montgomery slipped two divisions across the Strait of Messina one night against no resistance and the Allied invasion of the continent of Europe was an accomplished fact. This was on Sept. 3—a date 10 days later than I had hoped it could be done.

An invasion on a wider front was clearly indicated, and after examination of every spot of the

Inside On Patton's 'Slapping Incident'

beach from Rome to the toe of the boot, the Bay of Salerno was selected. The greatest disadvantage of this plan was that its logic was obvious to the enemy as well as to us.

The landing and succeeding operations developed almost identically to G-2 predictions. There was a sharp but relatively short fight in getting ashore and with minor exceptions the details of the actual landing proceeded well. The enemy, as was his custom, immediately began to counterattack and by the 13th had gathered up sufficient strength to make a major effort to throw us into the sea.

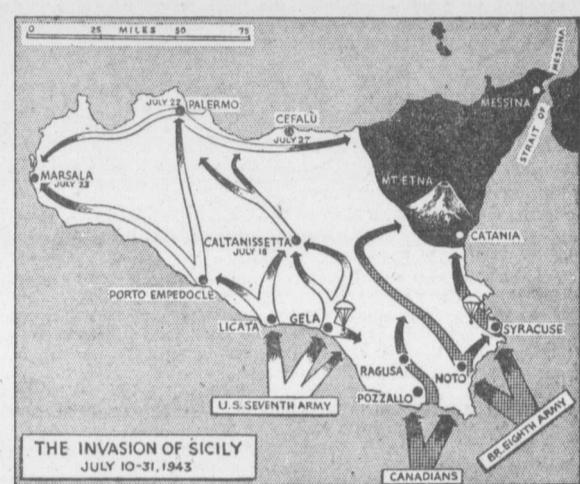
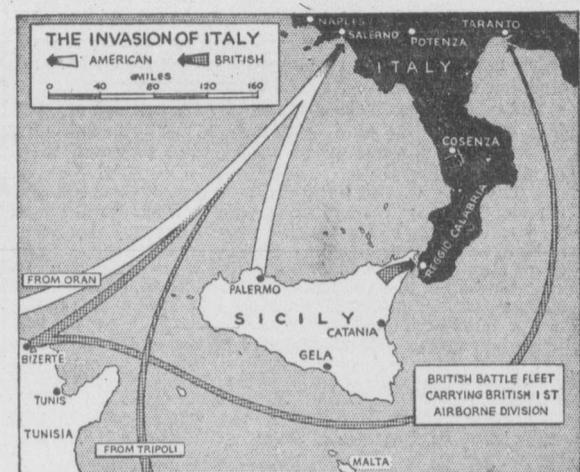
Continued reports and reconnaissance on the 13th furnished the details of the German attack, and that day Air Chief Marshal Tedder was ordered to concentrate the full strength of his air force, to include every plane that could fly, in attack upon sensitive spots in the German formations.

Tedder Delivers Precision Air Attack

This great air attack was delivered with precision and effectiveness on the morning of the 14th. So badly did it disrupt the enemy's communications, supplies, and mobility that, with the aid of naval gunfire, the ground troops regained the initiative and thereafter German counterattacks were never in sufficient strength to threaten our general position.

Again we decided to gamble, and in this case a tremendous burden of responsibility was assumed by Admiral Cunningham. He毫不犹豫地 agreed to push his battle fleet directly into Taranto Harbor, discounting the possibility of treachery or destruction by mine fields, in order to carry the British First Airborne Division into the docks at that point.

The operation was carried out as planned on Sept. 9, but with the loss of one fine British cruiser and more than 200 men she was carrying. She was sunk by a mine in the harbor of Taranto.



With this landing we were ashore on the Italian mainland in three places, Salerno, Taranto and Reggio Calabria.

in favor of smaller operations around "the underbelly of Europe."

This problem in the major strategy of the war came into sharp focus at the Cairo meeting of the Prime Minister and President Roosevelt. General Eisenhower attended that conference, where he fought for his plan. His own version of the arguments on both sides is presented for the first time in the eleventh installment of "Crusade in Europe," which will be published in the Victoria Daily Times tomorrow.

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Stampeders Nearing Peak Form For Final

CALGARY (CP)—Calgary Stampeders flashed some of their best football practice form of the season last night as they rolled through a rugged workout for their Nov. 27 Dominion championship final in Toronto.

The snap and precision displayed by the western champions brought grins of delight from a small turnout of gridiron faithful, who braved a cool wind to watch the 2½ hour drill.

Coach Les Lear, who will fly to Ottawa Thursday night to scout next Saturday's eastern final between Ottawa Roughriders and Hamilton Tigers, spent a major portion of the session on blocking assignment drills.

Every member of the club appeared to be nearing their peak form of the season as Lear ended the gruelling workout with a full-dress scrimmage.

ROWE LOOKS SHARP

Veteran fullback Paul Rowe, leading scorer in the Western Conference this season, stole a big share of the sideline applause with bone-crushing plunges that carried him for long gains while

Stampers will continue to hold daily workouts until Thursday night when they will leave for the east. They will hold the final week of workouts for the Grey Cup classic at Appleby College in Oakville, Ont.

Injuries Hit Ottawa Riders

OTTAWA (CP)—Two Ottawa Roughriders players won't be in the line-up when the Big Four champions meet Hamilton Tigers Saturday.

Coach Wally Masters says Lally Lalonde and Pete Finlay, both outside wingers, were hurt badly enough in the smashing battle against Montreal Alouettes last Saturday to be kept out of the eastern Canada football final.

Lalonde has a knee injury and a possible shoulder separation. Finlay is suffering from a broken left hand.

For the other players, Masters is planning to ease up training. "This team has come through

a hard, rough schedule in the last two weeks and they're going to get as much rest as possible," he said last night.

The Riders gathered at Lansdowne Park for a round-table discussion of plays they're working out against playing-coach Frank Filchock's Tigers.

Although the team will work out as usual today, Masters says nothing strenuous will be planned.

Filchock will bring the Tigers into Ottawa Friday afternoon. About 1,500 Tigers' fans are expected for the Saturday sudden-death skirmish for the right to meet Calgary Stampeders in the Grey Cup classic.

Hamilton Players Sweep Rep Berths

TORONTO (CP)—Hamilton Tigers today wrote another proud page in their brilliant football history by sweeping eight of the 12 places on the Ontario Rugby Football Union's all-star team.

Seldom before has the mythical squad, selected for the Canadian Press by football writers and coaches in the four union cities, been dominated to such a degree by one team. It emphasized the overwhelming superiority of the Tigers, under playing-coach Frank Filchock, in winning the league title with an undefeated streak of 11 games.

The four other places on the dream team went to Toronto Beaches Indians whom the Tigers whipped in two straight games in a best-of-three title playoff series. Neither Sarnia Imperials nor Windsor Rockets, the other two clubs, won a spot on the team.

The vote was weighted to give equal balloting strength to each union city.

The team:

Flying wing—Gerry Walsh, Hamilton.

Half-Jack Harper, Hamilton.

Half-Jack Stewart, Hamilton.

Half (secondary defence)—Doug Pyzer, Toronto.

Quarter—Frank Filchock, Hamilton.

Snap—Jake Gaudaur, Hamilton.

Inside—Don McKenzie, Toronto.

Inside—Eddie Remigis, Hamilton.

Middle—Pat Santucci, Hamilton.

Middle—Lorne Parkin, Toronto.

Outside—Verne Picard, Toronto.

Outside—Danny DiFrancisco, Hamilton.

UNANIMOUS CHOICE

The brilliant playing of Filchock, former professional star with Washington Redskins and New York Giants whose passing and coaching have been the sensation of the O.R.F.U., was recognized by the selectors, who made him the only unanimous choice.

The weakness in the backfield is the absence of a top-notch kicker but in every other department it excels. Its strength lies in Filchock's passing the running of Stewart and Uzter, the plugging of the 200-pound Walsh and the pass-receiving of Harper.

In front is a hard-charging, heavy wingline that has Eddie Remigis of the Tigers and Don (Shanty) McKenzie of the Beaches as its bulwark from their inside positions.

The snapback spot was won by big Jake Gaudaur, former Toronto Argonaut and Montreal Alouette star. Lorne Parkin, Beaches 213-pound football-playing policeman and 205-pound Pat Santucci, a placement-kicking expert with the Tigers, were chosen for the middle wing positions.

To flank these two at the outside spots the experts chose hard-tackling Verne Picard of the Beaches and Danny DiFrancisco, of the Tigers, another bone-crushing tackler and deadly pass receiver.

Betting Handle Shows Drop On New York Tracks

NEW YORK (AP)—The 4,514,277 race-goers who bet \$333,028,302 at New York's tracks this year had to pay \$52,338,505 for that privilege. The latter figure is the 15-per-cent "take" plus breakage.

The 1946 season, longest in New York's turf history, ended yesterday at Jamaica and, in keeping with the general trend around the country, both wagering and attendance dipped from last year. The drops in daily averages, which must be used for comparisons since there were only 188 days of racing last season, came to .09.4 at the tote windows and .05.5 at the gate.

According to the track's ad-

Jean Richard Wins Fight With Gagnon

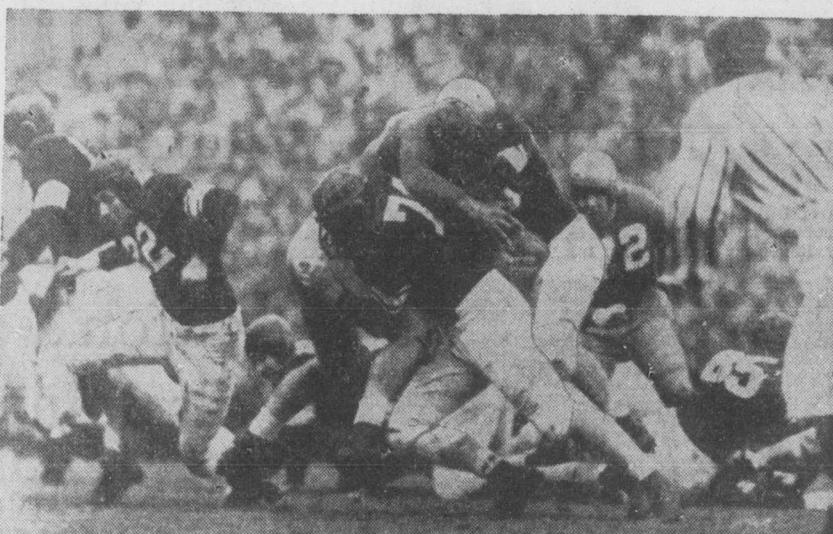
QUEBEC (CP)—Jean Richard of Montreal, Canadian featherweight champion, punched out his third straight victory over Dominion barefooting titleholder Fernando Gagnon of Quebec by taking a unanimous 10-round decision in the feature of a boxing card here Monday night. Richard weighed 125, Gagnon 122.

Holyoke, Mass.—Tami Maurillo, 201, New York, knocked out Leo Stoll, 205, Baltimore (4).

missions figures, the average gate this year was 23,032. The daily mean for betting amounted to \$1,699,124.

In 1947 the averages were 24,383 and \$1,875,662, the totals being 4,584,163 and \$352,624,464.

Notre Dame Given Scare



Northwestern's Art Murakowski gains five yards off left tackle in the second quarter of the Wildcats' grid battle against Notre Dame at South Bend, Ind. In the third quarter Murakowski ran 90 yards for a touchdown to put his club in front 7 to 6. However, the Fighting Irish came back for a major score in the final quarter to win 12 to 7 and keep their brilliant record intact.

N.H.L. Player Deals Governed By Self-Imposed Restrictions

By W. R. WHEATLEY

MONTREAL (CP)—Competition at the highest management level of professional hockey today is as severe, strenuous and feud-provoking as between teams on the ice.

The scramble for talent—untrained or broken to harness—is at its wildest. But it is a regulated wildness.

The six clubs of the National

Hockey League, big time of the ice game, operate on self-imposed regulations respecting: Negotiation list, reserve list, draft, standard contract, retirement, pension.

The negotiation list is an arrangement whereby a club puts the finger on an amateur player it would like to deal with and notifies the N.H.L. — but not necessarily the youngster concerned until his name is on the list. Each club's negotiation list is limited to four players.

The reserve list is made up of players whose agreements range from a try-out to virtual contract, the latter accompanied by cash. A club may carry 40 players on its reserve list, plus four goalkeepers.

So far as the N.H.L. is concerned, the draft has relapsed into a coma. For the last two seasons no player has been lifted

from either of two minor leagues

U.S.H.L. Hockey League and Pacific Coast Hockey League—at the draft price of \$10,000.

The reason is simple. U.S.H.L. and P.C.H.L. clubs do better in sales of the prospective drafttees, one per club.

THE N.H.L. pension plan, effective since Oct. 1, 1947, is applicable to players with a minimum of two years' service and includes player contribution.

There is no limit on individual salaries in the N.H.L. and no salary limit on clubs. Nobody

limits his salary nowadays but it's certainly a topnotcher needed during the era of a squashy, slow apple.

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The standard contract is an out-and-out agreement between club and player setting forth the rights and limitations of each.

Sale, transfer, trade and reserves of the player's services for the succeeding season are provided. Special inducements to signing and bonuses, other than those automatically accruing to players for the finishing position of their club or recognized awards for individual performance

are, are something else. They must be written or inserted into the contract.

Retirement regulations involve unconditional release and waivers. Reinstatement into amateur ranks is also possible.

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TOSSING a hearty guffaw at

modern baseball, Ty Cobb, generally acknowledged as the greatest ball player of all time, states in the current issue of Sport "the live ball has ruined the game, eliminated the speed and skill of a player needed during the era of a squashy, slow apple."

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CONTINUING in his disdain of

modern baseball the Detroit Tigers immortal declared: "Nothing means much today. Some second-rate hinky-dinky can come

up and pop a ball clear to the fence, a hit that with the old ball would have barely got out of the infield."

The article points out that, though Cobb was the most hated and the most feared player of his or any other era, he played in more games, scored more runs, made more hits, stole more bases and held more records than any other man in baseball history.

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Kennedy, New Haven 16 6 15 21

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Johnston, Pittsburgh 15 6 14 20

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Leswick, Cleveland 14 13 6 19

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Brown Jack's Great Race Feats Recalled

LONDON (CP)—News of the death of Brown Jack, equine idol of racegoers during the early '30s and best-loved stayer in British racing history, recalls many stories of his career.

For instance, he is the only horse to have had a sermon preached about him, to have a 219-page biography, a partiality for Cheddar cheese, hot beer and whisky.

His name was coupled for years with that of the late Steve Donoghue who rode him in his unpreceded triumphs in the Queen Alexandra Stakes—at more than 2½ miles the longest flat race in England under Jockey Club rules. He won it six times in succession from 1929 to 1934.

His successes with Steve—they became known as the "old firm"—were legend. So was his companionship with Mail Fist, a horse that often acted as his pacemaker and, as often, faded gracefully out of the picture.

Brown Jack always preferred to travel facing the engine, loved the noise and bustle of the racecourse, and after a while cultivated an odd kind of gance, a two-step shuffle, as he neared the winning post. Donoghue maintained it was "just to amuse himself and show his own delight at having won."

Another of his queer habits was to sit on his manger while he slept. Efforts to provide leather and felt "buttock-warmers" were discouraged when he ripped them off the cold iron manger framework. He seemed to find the cold metal soothing.

REMEMBERED BY FANS

After eight years, racing he was retired. He had won 25 of his 63 races and earned more than £24,000 (\$96,000) for owner Sir Harold Werner. Such was his fame that in 1944, 10 years after his last race, admirers were still sending him lumps of sugar saved from their rations for Christmas presents.

And when he came of age in 1945, he got a telegram from

Steve Donoghue saying: "Best of luck in 1945 from your old pal Steve." Brown Jack then was at grass on a farm near Market Harborough, Leicestershire—his home for 14 years. Under Food Ministry regulations he was not earning his keep and was not entitled to a ration of oats.

The Peter Pan of racehorses is not likely to be forgotten by future horse-racing lovers. The British Museum is to exhibit his skeleton and his brain will be preserved.

It also goes on record that his stout heart weighed 19 pounds—nearly pounds more than average.

Among races Brown Jack won were the Ascot Stakes (1928), Goodwood Cup and Doncaster Cup (1930), Chester Cup and Ebor Handicap (1931), Prince Edward Handicap, Manchester (1932), Rosebery Memorial Handicap (1933)—and, of course, his phenomenal Alexandra Stakes record.

Racing Results

SAN MATEO, Calif.—Results of horse racing at Tanforan track Monday follows:

First Race	Second Race	Third Race	Fourth Race	Fifth Race	Sixth Race	Seventh Race	Eighth Race	Ninth Race	Tenth Race
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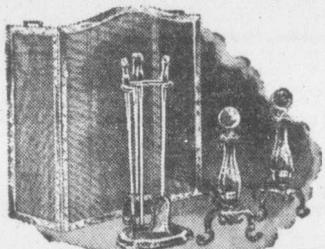
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**Currency Limits
Reduce Migration**

EDMONTON (CP) — Alberta Municipal Affairs Minister Gerhart said Monday government-imposed currency restrictions in the United Kingdom were the thing which was preventing a wholesale exodus of Britons and British capital to Canada.

Mr. Gerhart returned Saturday after a three-month visit to Europe during which he attended sessions of the Commonwealth parliamentary conference in London.

Mr. Gerhart, who also holds a cabinet position as Provincial Secretary, said nationalization of the coal mines and of transport was accepted in good grace by Britons, but a more serious view was taken of nationalization of the steel and iron industries.

The scholarship is designed to encourage research in Canadian external relations and to obtain through extended investigation an understanding of the questions arising from the Dominion's growing participation in this field.

INQUIRY INTO CONTRACTS

"The first duty which Mr. King performed in external and home relations began over 50 years ago," said Mr. Walker, "when in 1898 he received a government commission to inquire into methods of carrying out government contracts in Canada and Europe.

"From that time forward his interest in that field grew each year and when he became Prime Minister in 1921, he also became Minister of External Affairs."

The scholarship will be open to students who are Canadians by birth and who hold a Bachelor of Arts degree from any Canadian University. Students must have included in undergraduate studies at least two of geography, political science, economics and history, over a period of at least two years. The award will be made by the inter-departmental committee on international relations.

**Need Blood Donors
For Clinic Here**

An objective of 3,650 pints of blood is being sought by the Red Cross in British Columbia to augment and maintain the provincial blood bank. Vancouver Island, Red Cross officials hope, will provide 1,000 pints of this objective during the current visit here of the mobile collection unit.

The clinic arrived here Friday for a five-day stay. Friday, it operated at Langford where 65 donations were given. Saturday, it was stationed at the Eagles' Hall in Victoria and received 145 donations from members of the fraternal order.

Today and Tuesday the clinic is operating at Red Cross House, 1046 View Street, from 1:30 to 4:30 in the afternoons and from 7 to 9 at night.

"If the island is to come any-

where near reaching its ob-

jective, many more new donors

will have to attend the clinics

today and tomorrow," one Red

Cross official stated.

He urges all persons living in Greater Victoria willing to do-

nate to this service to contact

Red Cross House at B 2213 im-

mediately.

Confident Of Repeal

PORLAND, Ore. (AP)—President Philip Murray of the Congress of Industrial Organization said Monday he was "confident" the new United States Congress would repeal the Taft-Hartley Act. He told reporters he also expected the Democrats to live up to a campaign pledge to increase the U.S. minimum wage scale to 75 cents an hour. He said the minimum may be set higher.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

WE'VE WAITED A LONG TIME FOR A PEAK AT YOUR MOLAR BLASTER IN ACTION, MAJOR! — YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED YOUR MIND HAVE YOU, AND DECIDED JUST TO MAKE IT VEGETABLE SOUP?

EGAD, TWIGGS! PATIENCE! DO YOU KNOW HOW MANY CENTURIES MEDICAL SCIENCE GROPED FOR THE ANESTHETIC? — MY DENTAL BOMB IS ON THE BRINK OF PERFECTION! — UM! I'LL VOLUNTEER TO SUBMIT TO THE FINAL TEST?

LET'S GO LOOK FOR A MUMMY =

AROUND HOME

DON'T LOOK NOW, BUT I THINK BINGO IS FOLLOWING US TO SCHOOL!

YOU'D BETTER TAKE HIM HOME AND TIE HIM UP!

OUT OUR WAY

DON'T MIND THE NUTS — MY SON PUTS THEM UP HERE TO DRY OUT! JUST MOVE THOSE THAT ARE IN YOUR WAY WHERE YOU'RE WORKING!

BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

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BUGS BUNNY

BANG! BOOM! RAT-A-TAT-TAT!

HOW YA SUPPOSED TO COINVENT IT WITH A RACKET, LIKE THA GOIN' ON?

BOOM! I'M A TONNY GUN! ACK-A-CACK-A-CACK-A-CACK!

THAT DOES IT!

OKAY! LET'S GET ON WITH TH GAME!

WHAT DID YOU DO, B-BUSS?

I PUT A SILENCER ON TH TONNY GUN!

E. B. F. U.S. PAT. OFF.

VIC FLINT

COME ON, BUDDY, SNAP OUT OF IT AND LET'S GET OUT OF HERE!

OH, MY HEAD! WHERE'S MY SISTER?

SHE'S RIGHT BEHIND YOU.

ONCE YOU GET A DIVORCE FROM ROBIN, VERA, YOU'LL BE A NEW WOMAN. I DON'T SEE HOW YOU EVER PUT UP WITH HIM.

LET HIM GO BACK TO THAT NURSE OF HIS I'VE BEEN TELLING YOU ABOUT.

THAT'S A FUNNY WAY FOR CUDGLES TO BE TALKING TO HER!

THIS DOESN'T ADD UP. JUST A FEW MINUTES AGO HE WAS FEEDING THE SAME LINE TO HER HUSBAND!

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MR AND MRS

WELL, FOR ONCE YOU WERE ON TIME TO MEET ME

I NEVER KEEP YOU WAITING

WHO WAS THAT YOU BOWED TO?

OH, ONE OF OUR TELEPHONE OPERATORS! I JUST KNOW HER VOICE

AND WHO WAS THAT? SHE'S QUITE PRETTY

ONE OF OUR FILE CLERKS. I FORGOT HER NAME

WELL, ER—WHY—YOU MEET ME YOU NEVER TIP YOUR HAT?

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BOOTS

YOU MEAN THAT LITTLE REDHEAD IN THE SOPHOMORE CLASS?

WOW!

AND SHE ASKED YOU FOR THE DATE TWO MONTHS AGO?

SORRY!

WELL, THERE WENT MY LAST CHANCE TO GO TO THE HOMECOMING DAY DANCE!

STILL NO DATE, PUG?

NAM-HA! AND THE BIGGEST DANCE OF THE WHOLE YEAR TOO!

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FRECKLES

TAKE 'EM, TEAM! . . . MOW 'EM DOWN! YEAH-SHADYSIDE!!!

WHATTA MEAN, HAVE I BEEN BREAKING TRAINING AGAIN?

OKAY, BUT I'M GOING TO WEAR A HALO YOU BETTER NOT EAT THE CHOCOLATE OFF YOUR CHIN!

IM JUST COMFORTABLY FULL!

BEING COMFORTABLY FULL BEFORE A GAME IS ABOUT SOMETHIN' ELSE!

FILLING A PAN TO THE TOP WITH RAW POPCORN!

JUST WAIT TILL THE HEAT GETS TURNED ON!!

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ALLEY OOP

FINE THING! I COULD GIVE HER A PRESENT AN' SHE AIN'T HOME!

TRANSC! HUH-SH-SH! THAT POKABABA PUNK AGAIN!

THEY WENT THIS WAY!

COOL, A DEAR. YOU ARE A VISION OF LOVELINESS!

ON, POKABABA, YOU SAY THE NICEST THINGS!

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School Board Terms Salary Requests 'Unreasonable'

A revised salary schedule with increases totaling \$320,626 or almost one-third over the present annual salary total of approximately \$990,000 is being sought by teachers of Greater Victoria.

At a meeting Monday night, members of the Greater Victoria School Board tabled the request for salary increases after terming them "beyond the bounds of reason."

The proposed schedule, submitted to the board last month, would, in the opinion of Trustee M. P. Paine, result in the other school board employees — janitors, principals, inspectors and staff members at Victoria College (who are not included in the Greater Victoria Teachers Association), seeking increases. He said the total increases with these other groups considered would reach the half million dollar mark.

PRELIMINARY NEGOTIATIONS

Mrs. Hazel E. Hodson, chairman of the teachers' association salary committee, reported following the meeting that negotiations were still in the preliminary stage and would likely continue for two months.

Trustee R. H. Green, chairman of the school board's finance committee, did most of the talking on the proposed increases, bringing out examples of present salaries and what the increases would mean if granted.

Trustee Green stated that the new salary schedule, if approved, would result in an average increase throughout Greater Victoria of \$885.70 per teacher. On the basis of a 193-working-day year, the highest paid teachers would get \$24.36 per day, he added.

Some teachers, who were receiving in the neighborhood of \$2,600 per year in 1947 would receive about double that amount by 1949 under the proposed salary schedule, it was stated.

Extra Help, More Space, Trucks Ready For Christmas Mail Rush

There is a busy hub of activity at the Victoria Post Office these days which will increase in tempo daily to climax the week of Dec. 20 in the annual Christmas deluge of mail and parcels.

All plans for operation Christmas are complete according to Postmaster John B. Sinclair today.

The post office will begin taking on extra help, one or two at a time, Dec. 1. This will build up progressively to mid-December when the bulk of the additional employees for inside work will be taken on.

One hundred extra letter carriers will be taken on Dec. 20, bringing extra Christmas help to an estimated 350 to 400. "As last year and the year before, the National Employment Service is co-operating with us in obtaining the help needed," Mr. Sinclair said. "Lists are being made up now and those wanting to get on for the Christmas rush must submit their names to the National Employment Service.

"No help will be engaged for

Shift System May Be Inaugurated In City Schools

Austin I. Curtis, chairman of the board, estimated that a boost of 4.5 points in the mill rate over the Greater Victoria area would be necessary to meet the teacher's demands.

Trustee Benjamin Caley, Esquimalt, quipped "the teachers seem to be thinking more of the bankbook than the textbook."

The proposed salary schedule calls for an increase in the minimum salary of elementary school teachers with no experience from \$1,300 to \$1,650, and corresponding increments for other classifications.

For secondary school teachers, the minimum salary requested is \$2,000 for "B" classification, \$2,150 for "A" classification and \$2,300 for "A-plus" classification. Minimums now stand at \$1,500, \$1,600 and \$1,700, respectively.

Maximum wages in these three classes, now set at \$2,800, \$3,100 and \$3,500, but would increase to \$3,800, \$4,100 and \$4,700 under the proposed schedule.

The present schedule, drawn up in 1947, gave teachers a total increase of between \$125,000 and \$130,000. Last February, this schedule was amended following action by an arbitration board, with a further \$40,000 per year being granted.

Following Trustee Green's report, some members of the board expressed amazement at the demands. Said Trustee Paine, "the teachers seem to be far out of touch with reason—it appears that they cannot realize what the overall effect of these increases means in terms of dollars and cents."

A further example of what the granting of the request would mean was given by the finance committee chairman. He pointed out that the maximum increase would be \$1,250 and the minimum \$850. He noted that one unmarried woman teacher now getting \$3,800 per annum would get over \$5,000 under the proposed schedule.

The motion to table the request of the teachers was tabled unanimously.

Austin I. Curtis Seeks Re-election To School Board

Chairman Austin I. Curtis and three other members of the Greater Victoria School Board whose terms of office expire this year, will stand for re-election at the Dec. 9 elections.

Mr. Curtis and Benjamin Caley, Esquimalt representative, announced at a meeting of the board Monday night they will run for office again.

Earlier M. P. Paine of Saanich and Miss Isla Tuck, Victoria, announced they would seek re-election.

Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, Oak Bay trustee, is undecided on whether she will ask electors to return her to office.

FOURTH TERM

Mr. Curtis, completing his fourth term as a member of the board, said he wants to see the schools building program through to a successful conclusion.

He was a member of the board when it was first discussed and when ratepayers authorized the borrowing of \$3,900,000. The program has been slowed through rising costs and other complications.

Four trustees elected to two-year terms last year are Maj. R. H. Green and A. W. Trivett, city representatives; W. P. Jeune, Saanich, and J. A. de Bourcier, Oak Bay.

Stolen Car Recovered

The 1946 sedan owned by Mrs. J. O. Cameron, 1262 Rockland Avenue, which was stolen in the small hours of Monday morning, was recovered undamaged by Constable Joseph Barlow early this morning in the vicinity of the Beacon Hill Park Lookout.

Insp. Harry Mercer, chief of city detectives, reported that investigations are being made to learn whether or not this vehicle was used in the safe robbery at Hawkes Bros. Service Garage, Moss Street, between 1 and 4 Monday morning.

There is no evidence the 400-pound safe, containing valuable documents and about \$500 in cash, was carted in the rear seat. There is a possibility marks in the baggage compartment may have been made by a heavy object.

\$300 Or 3 Months, Liquor Case Penalty

Jack Davis, 536 Johnson St., who Monday pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawfully keeping liquor for sale, was fined \$300, or in default, serve three months in jail, when he appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today for sentence.

John Viggers was found guilty on a charge of dangerous driving today in city police court. He was fined \$40 and his driver's license was suspended for one month by Magistrate H. C. Hall. He was in an accident with a vehicle driven by Fred Fotherington at Hillside and Rose on Oct. 6. Similar charge against Fotherington was withdrawn.

City comptroller D. A. Macdonald believes the \$132,222 which the city is certain to re-

Famous Drum Of R.C.A.F.



R.C.A.F. Photo

The famous R.C.A.F. Band from Edmonton will pay another visit to Victoria, Nov. 25. It will fall-in at Yates and Blanshard, marching down Yates to Douglas and down Douglas to the site of the new addition of the Hudson's Bay store where a public concert will be played from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Parade will fall-in at 2 o'clock.

In the evening the band will play a concert for the members of the Britannia Branch and the Ad Astra Branch of the Canadian Legion from 8:30 to 10 in the Britannia Branch auditorium. The band consists of 30 musicians under the baton of Warrant Officer Carl Friberg and features a number of musicians well known in western Canada and musical circles.

With the band will be the famous bass drum which bears the signature of many famous persons most of whom have conducted the band. Some of the better-known names are Princess Julian, of the Netherlands, now Queen Julian; Shirley Temple, Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt, Alan Young, Jack Benny, Lauritz Melchoir, Rose Bampton, Marjorie Lawrence, Sigmund Romberg, Igor Stavinsky, and ex-mayor of New York City the "Little Flower" himself, Florella La Guardia, who conducted the band on his visit to the west just before he passed away. This bass drum has traveled all over the north American continent with Warrant Officer Friberg and is internationally known.

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Announcements

BIRTHS
REID—To Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Reid, 90 Linden Avenue, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Nov. 15, 1948, a daughter, 5 lbs. 13 oz.

MARRIAGES
SMITH—BECKELEY Jr., 3186 Quadra Street, announced the marriage of their only daughter, Barbara, to Brian Brightly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith, 2965 Cedar Hill Road. The wedding, Saturday, Nov. 13, on the beach at Oak Bay United Church. Rev. James Hood officiating.

DEATHS
BRIGHTLY—At Royal Oak on Nov. 15, 1948. Kate Brightly, wife of John Brightly, aged 63, born Waterloo, Eng. Survived by two sons, Ralph Brightly of Winnipeg, and John Brightly of British Columbia, also four daughters, Mrs. John Makinson, Peterborough, Eng.; Amy Brightly, Cambridge, Mass.; Rev. John Brightly, Victoria, B.C., and Kate Brightly, Royal Oak; also eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral service will be held at St. Michael and All Angels Church, 2012 2nd Street, on Wednesday, Nov. 17, Rev. N. J. Godkin officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park. Funeral Home, C. Funeral Co. charge of arrangements. (No flowers, by request). (Vancouver and Edmonton papers, please copy).

CUNLIFFE—Suddenly on Nov. 11, 1948, at Ganges, B.C. Joseph Cunliffe, in his 70th year, born in England, a widower, and a resident of Ganges for three years. He leaves his wife, a son, J. H. Cunliffe in Vancouver.

The survivors are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel and will be forwarded Wednesday to new home, where service will be held and interment made in Burnaby, B.C.

MALPIN—On Nov. 15, 1948, in Victoria, B.C. Thomas Hobin, 48 years, a native of 399th, was born in Ireland, and a resident here for the past 20 years. He leaves his wife, a son, a daughter, Mrs. G. Parsons, Mrs. C. Bertrand and Mrs. G. McCallum.

Private service will be held Wednesday, Nov. 17, at 7 p.m. from McColl Brothers' B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment will be at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, from the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. McColl Brothers' directors.

KEEAN—Passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Nov. 14, Mr. Graham James Keean, 62 years, born in Cincinnati, Ohio, and a resident of Victoria for the past seven years. Interment will be at Ross Bay Cemetery, R.M.D. No. 4. Survived by three stepsons in Winnipeg, Man., and a son, W. A. Routledge of Loughead, Alta. The late Miss Lowe taught school in New Westminster and Victoria View High Schools for the past 17 years.

Funeral services will be held in the Memorial Chapel of the Cluny of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Wednesday, Nov. 17, at 3:30 p.m. Rev. G. Griffiths will officiate. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

(No flowers, by request). (Victoria papers, please copy.)

LOWE—Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Nov. 14, Miss Miriam Lowe, 69, a native of 43 years, born in Staffordshire, England, and a resident of Victoria for the past 30 years. Interment will be at Ross Bay Cemetery, R.M.D. No. 4. Survived by her mother, Mrs. W. H. Lowe, at home; one brother, Ronald H. Lowe of Victoria; and a son, W. A.

A. Routledge of Loughead, Alta. The late Miss Lowe taught school in New Westminster and Victoria View High Schools for the past 17 years.

Funeral services will be held at her residence, 2147 Government Street, on Nov. 15, 1948, at 2 p.m. from McColl Brothers' B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. G. McCallum officiate. Interment will be at Ross Bay Cemetery, Victoria, from the family plot in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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PORTER—On Nov. 15, 1948, at the residence, 1548A Cedar Hill Cross Road, Mrs. F. G. Porter, 62 years, widow of the late Mr. Ernest McMillan, born in Prince Edward Island, and a resident here for the past 14 years, and formerly of Saskatoon, Sask., for many years. She was survived by her son, one daughter, Mr. Hugh A. (Doris) Tiers of Victoria, B.C., one granddaughter, Cherie Tiers, and one granddaughter, Evelyn, both of Vancouver.

Funeral service will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 17, 1948, at 2 p.m. from McColl Brothers' B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. G. McCallum officiate. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SHALLCROSS—Passed away at her residence, 2008 Quadra Street, on Nov. 15, 1948, Mrs. Ethel Maud Shallcross, widow of John J. Shallcross.

At home, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Isabelle of Drumheller, Alta., and one daughter, Loretta, of Edmonton, Alta.

Funeral service will be held in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

WILLOWS—On Nov. 13, 1948, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, Dr. John MacLean, 62 years, born in 1926, died of heart trouble, at his residence, 915 Market Street, Victoria. The late Mr. Willocks was born in Leicester, England, and had resided here for the past 26 years. He was for 10 years a resident of Calgary, Alta., and died in his 62nd year. His one daughter, Mrs. Marion Hicks, of 2408, 2nd Avenue, Vancouver, two grandsons, and one granddaughter, one brother, Thomas in Australia, and one sister, Mrs. Loretta, of Edmonton, Alta.

Funeral service will be held in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

WILTSWELL—On Nov. 13, 1948, a Royal Jubilee Hospital patient, Mr. W. R. Wiltswells, 73, died of heart trouble, at his residence, 1520 Quadra Street, Victoria. The late Mr. Wiltswells was born in 1875, and had resided here for the past 23 years. He was survived by his wife, Dorothy, and one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy MacShop, 1000 Cook Street, Victoria.

Funeral service will be held on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 17, 1948, at 3 in McCall Brothers' B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. G. McCallum will officiate and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

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Stock Market Slowly Pulls Ahead

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market slowly but steadily pulled ahead Tuesday.

In lively dealings leading issues advanced fractions to a point or more. It was the market's third successful attempt in a row to recoup some of the post-election losses.

Rails were among the better performers although buying power was well distributed.

Canadian issues were mixed. Canadian Pacific and Distillers were up, each adding 4%. Hirsh Walker eased 4%. Dome Mines dropped 4% and McIntyre lost 4%.

Dow Jones averages: 30 industrials — 176.20, up .19; 20 rails — 54.85, up .51; 15 utilities — 33.16, up .06; 65 stocks — 64.72, up .21. Total sales 1,060,000.

(By H. A. Hunter Ltd.)

	Closing Bid
Allied Chemicals	181-4
Commonwealth	181-4
Eastman Kodak	172
Erie	142-1
General Foods	39
General Electric	37-7
General Mills, Inc.	26-1
GoodYear Tire	42-4
Great Northern	27-6
Inter. Nickel	31-5
Johns-Manville	38-4
Kennecott Copper	102
Loew's Theatre	15
National Biscuit	13-7
New York Central	58-2
Norfolk and Western	58-2
Northern Pacific	18-1
Pacific Gas Electric	31-5
Pennsylvania Railroad	17-6
Standard Oil of California	62-4
Standard Oil New Jersey	73-1
Sears, Roebuck	22-6
Sinclair Oil	20-1
Socoma Vacuum	17-1
Southern California Edison	27-7
Southern Railway	41-7
Texas	28-1
Union Pacific	85-4
United Aircraft	24-4
U.S. Steel	24-7
Hirsh Walker G. & W.	24-3
Westinghouse Electric	24-3
Woolworth	43-3

Canadian Bonds

MONTREAL (CP)—Long-term Dominions were in better demand on the Bond Market here today. Corporations were firm and quiet. Provincial and municipalities remained quiet.

(By Investment Dealers' Association)

	Bid	Asked
Dominion of Canada	\$102.70	103.50
VL 1 3% 1954	103.55	104.60
VL 3 3% 1956	103.65	104.70
VL 5 3% 1958	103.75	104.75
VL 8 3% 1959	101.50	102.50
VL 8 3% 1960	101.50	102.50
VL 8 3% 1961	101.50	102.50
VL 8 3% 1962	101.50	102.50
VL 8 3% 1963	100.50	101.50
VL 9 3% 1966	100.50	101.50
VL 9 3% 1967	103.15	104.20
VL 9 3% 1968	100.85	101.90
VL 9 3% 1969	99.50	100.50
VL 9 3% 1970	99.50	100.50
VL 9 3% 1971	99.50	100.50
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